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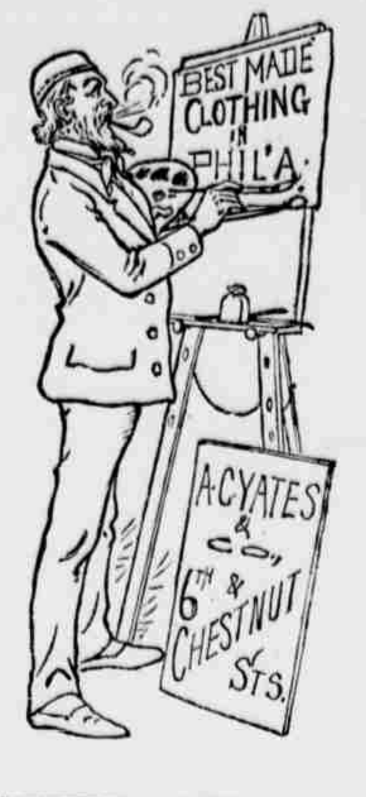
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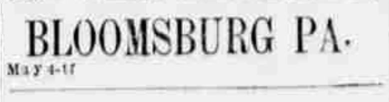

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Consumption : In a great many cases Consumption is only the effect of a diseased condition of the system and not an original disease; it the kidneys are inactive and there is any natural weakness in the lungs, the kidney poison attacks their substance and eventually they waste away and are destroyed. Dip your finger in acid and it is burned. Wash the finger every day in acid and it soon becomes a festering sore and is eventually destroyed. The kidney poison acid in the blood has the same destructive effect upon the lungs: For this reason a person whose kidneys are ailing will have grave attacks of Pneumonia in the Spring of the year, Lung fevers, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Pleurisy, etc., at all seasons of the year. Rectify the action of the kidneys by "Warner's SAFE Cure," as many hundreds of thousands have done, and you will be surprised at the improvement in the condition of the lungs.

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Opium Habits : It is a well known fact, recently shown anew, that opium, morphine, cocaine, whisky, tobacco and other enslaving habits capture their victims by their paralyzing effects upon the kidneys and liver. In these organs the appetite is developed and sustained, and the best authorities state that the habits cannot be gotten rid of until the kidneys and liver are restored to perfect health. For this purpose, leading medical authorities, after a thorough examination of all claimants for the honor of being the only specific for those organs, have awarded the prize to "Warner's SAFE Cure."

Rheumatism : Every reputable physician will tell you that rhematism is caused by an acid condition of the system. With some it is uric acid, or kidney poison; in others, it is lithic acid, or liver poison. This acid condition is caused by inactivity of the kidneys and liver false action of the stomach and food assimilating organs. It affects old people more than young people because the acid has been collecting in the system for years and finally the system becomes entirely acidified. These acids produce all the various forms of rheumatism "Warner's SAFE Cure" acting upon the kidneys and liver, neutralizing the acid and correcting their false action, cures many cases of rheumatism. "Warner's SAFE Rheumatic Cure," alternating with the use of "Warner's SAFE Cure" completes the work.

Bladder Disorders : Gross and other high medical authorities say that most of the bladder disorders originate with false action of the kidneys, and urinary tract. Uric acid constantly coursing through these organs inflames and eventually destroys the inner membrane, producing the intense suffering. Sometimes this kidney acid solidifies in the kidneys in the form of Gravel, which in its descent to the bladder produces kidney colic. Sometimes the acid solidifies in the Bladder, producing calculous or Stone. "Warner's SAFE Cure" has restored thousands of cases of inflammation and catarrh of the bladder and has effectively corrected the tendency to the formation of gravel and stone. It challenges comparison with all other remedies in this work. Buy to-day.

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Congestion. Congestion is a collecting together of blood in any one place. If there is loss of nervous action in any organ the blood vessels do not allow the blood to circulate and it stagnates. If this condition exists very long the collecting blood clots and eventually destroys the organ. Many persons are unconscious victims of this very common condition. The heart, determined as it is to force blood into every part of the system, has to work harder to get it through the clogged organ, and eventually the Heart breaks down and palpitation, excessive action, rush of blood to the head, distressing head aches, indicate that the Congestion has become chronic and is doing damage to the entire system. Congestion of the kidneys is one of the commonest of complaints and is the beginning of much chronic misery. "Warner's SAFE Cure" will remove it.

Female Complaints. What we have said about Congestion applies with particular force to the above complaints. They are as common as can be, and as every doctor can tell you, most of them begin in this congestive condition of the system, which, not being regularly corrected, grows into disease and produces these countless sufferings which can be alluded to but not described in public print. Thousands have been permanently cured.

Blood Disorders. It is not strange that so many, many people write us that since they have given themselves thorough treatment with "Warner's SAFE Cure" their thick and turgid blood, their heavy, blotched, irritable skin have disappeared under its potent influence. The kidney poison in the blood thickens it. It is not readily purified in the lungs, and the result is the impurities come out of the surface of the body, and if there is any local disease all the badness in the blood seems to collect there. Our experience justifies us in the statement that "Warner's SAFE Cure" is "the greatest blood purifier known." The treatment must be very thorough.

Stomach Disorders. Many people complain more or less throughout the year with stomach disorders: Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Waterbrash, heat and distress in the stomach, sharp pains, frequent aches, want of appetite, lack of energy. Now, these are exactly the conditions that will be produced in the stomach when the blood is filed with kidney poison: People dose themselves with all sorts of stomach reliefs, but get no better: They never will get better until they give their attention to a thorough reviving of kidney and liver action by means of the only specific—"Warner's SAFE Cure."

Constipation, Piles. These distressing ailments, more common among one class than the other, are not original disorders, but are secondary to imperfect action of the kidneys and liver. The natural cathartic is bile, which is taken from the blood by the liver. If the liver fails the bile is not forthcoming and the person gets into a constipated habit. This, eventually followed by piles, is almost always an indication of congested liver, and a breaking down of the system. Remove the congestion, revive the liver and restore the kidneys by the use of "Warner's SAFE Cure," and these constitutional secondary diseases disappear.

Headaches. Many people suffer untold agonies all their lives with headache. They try every remedy in vain, for they have not struck the cause. With some temperaments, kidney acid in the blood, in spite of all that can be done, will irritate and inflame the brain and produce intense suffering. Those obstinate headaches which do not yield readily to local treatment, may be regarded quite certainly as of kidney origin.

These are Scientific Facts, and from the way we have set them forth, it will plainly be seen, that the statement we make, that "Warner's SAFE Cure" is the "most effective remedy ever discovered for the greatest number of human diseases," is justified. It is not a remedy without a reputation. Its sales for the past year have been greater than ever, and the advertising thereof less than ever, showing incontestibly that the merit of the medicine has given it a permanent place and value.

People have a dreadful fear of Bright's disease, but we can tell them from our experience that it is the ordinary kidney disease that produces no pain that is to-day the greatest enemy of the human race: great and all powerful, because in nine cases out of ten, its presence is not suspected by either the physicians or the victim! The prudent man who finds himself year after year troubled with little odd aches and ailments that perplex him, ought not to hesitate a moment as to the real cause of his disease. If he will give himself thorough constitutional treatment with "Warner's SAFE Cure" and "Warner's SAFE Pills," he will get a new lease of life and justify in his own experience, as hundreds of thousands have done, that 93 per cent. of human diseases are really attributable to a deranged condition of the kidneys, and that they will disappear when those organs are restored to health.

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SELECT POETRY.

LIVING AND DYING.

Finding to-day a hard task done—
Finding a moral conflict won;
An answering glow the setting sun
One's warm heart giving—
Companionship of those we prize,
Or e'en one glance of love-lit eyes—
And this is living!

Stealing away in unshared grief,
While naught but weeds compose the sheaf.
Unsightly blots upon the leaf
Our care belying;
The sky o'ercast when day begins,
Loving the one another wins—
Ah: this is dying!

But death itself to life must yield,
And lo! Heaven's portals are revealed:
The King's great register unsealed—
Oh, joy supernal!
Shows us as what we strove to be,
And Love has turned for us the key
To life eternal!

SELECT STORY.

A FISHERMAN'S STORY.

The part of the country from which I hail was about as wild as this.

No ships ever put in there, for Pengethlyn was but a fishing hamlet. Nevertheless, many a storm tossed vessel had made for the coast, hoping to find a safe haven, but finding shipwreck instead.

It had been there many years when I, a youngster, first started in partnership with Owen Penly as fishers. We had begun life as it were together, for we were about the same age. Together as lads we had helped the fishers to land their fish and dry their nets; together we had gone out in our father's boats to fish ourselves, and together we made a plan to save all the money we could and buy a boat of our own.

Both of us believed there wasn't a secret the other didn't share, yet each had one close locked in his own breast—a secret that incited us to toil night and day to purchase the boat, which would make us somebodies with the rest

But the truth was, we only desired to be of consequence to one, and, unfortunately, it was the same one—Jessie Redburn, the only child of old Jack Redburn, the most well to-do fisherman in all Pengethlyn.

Did'nt Owen and I work! A rough sea didn't scare us. We were the earliest out and the soonest home, always with a good supply; and, finally, as proud as if we were Captains of a three decker, we became the owners of a right-and-tight smack of our own.

We'd had the boat about a month, when one morning, coming down to the beach, I found Jessie seeing her father off in his smack. He wanted fresh sails, also new rigging, and was going to a shipwright's at the seaport, three miles along the coast.

"Shall I lend you a hand, Mr. Redburn?" I asked.

"No, lad; no, thank ye," he answered. "You'd a hard night's work of it, I hear."

"Pretty stiff," I rejoined; "but we made good hauls."

"If you stay gossiping here, daddy, you'll never be home to dinner," said Jessie.

He waved his hand, and she stood using her hand as a shade from the sunlight, watching him round the headland.

Never had I thought her so pretty. Clearing my throat nervously, I said: "I wish I was your father, Jessie."

"What! wrinkles, gray hair, and all?" she laughed. "Gracious!—why?"

"Because it must be so pleasant when starting fishing to have some one to see you off, and to know somebody's waiting for you at home, and keeping the fire bright for your return."

"Then," she replied, "why don't you get some one?"

"Because," I rejoined, aware that my voice trembled, "the one I want, the only one I'd ever have, wouldn't have me. I'd be like your father, Jessie, wrinkles, gray hair and all, if she'd be my wife."

"I don't think that would make her like you any better," she laughed, but nervously.

"You should know better than any one. I asked her this very moment. O, Jessie!"—and I slipped my arm round her waist—"don't you know that I mean yourself?"

"Won't you answer me, Jessie?" I whispered. Think how painful is my suspense!"

She turned, then looked up a moment, then down again, as she murmured, "I thought, Amos, you knew all along that I loved you."

In my joy I can't recollect what I answered, but I caught her in my arms and kissed her. I could have sung and danced, I was so happy. I was aroused by my partner's voice.

"I'm off, Amos, to the town," he called, "to add more grist to the mill. Ha! ha! Shall be back in time to start to-night."

"All right," I answered: "I will wait."

Owen Penley in build would have made two of me. He was broadly set and with the strength of a bull. He could with ease hold a tiller steady in a rough sea, when another man had to strain every nerve. He was dark, good looking, with a square forehead, crowned by a mass of black hair. His eyes were black and piercing, his brows almost met—they say that indicates a violent temper. It was right in Owen's case. He kept it wisely under control; but I had seen one or two terrible outbursts when some fishers had by accident fouled our nets with their boat.

It wanted rather over half an hour to our starting that night when Owen knocked at my door.

"I've come back," he said, looking in "I'll be down on the beach in time. You see to the boat, Amos, old fellow."

I noticed he appeared in remarkably high spirits, and the thought came into my head that he had been taking an extra glass.

Taking my hat I quitted the cottage. As I did so I heard Owen's voice trolling out a song.

"I never saw him so merry," I said to myself. "I fear that extra glass has excited him."

Owen's high spirits had not lessened when he joined me; and when we were flying over the swelling billows I jestingly told him his mirth would frighten the fish away.

But, indeed, my mirth was little less than his, and we were more like two school boys than practical fishermen when we cast our nets. As we did so the moon sailed from behind a cloud, spreading over the waters a silvery light.

"If I'm mad, Amos, your insane," said Owen, after we'd been laughing. "I never saw you in such spirits before. What's come over you? What's making you so happy?"

"Secret for secret; that's but fair," I answered. "Well, mine first. I've no objection, Owen, for to day has made me the happiest man in the world. Jesse Redburn has consented to be my wife."

"What?"

The word echoed loud across the waters as Owen Penley leaped to his feet. I have never forgotten how he looked at that moment. The change on his countenance was as though the moon had suddenly vanished behind a cloud, so dark and lowering was its expression. His black brows were brought together; his eyes flashed upon me as if fire was in them; his lips were compressed, his hands clenched. All mirth had gone. He towered over me like a giant, or madman that he really was.

"What's the matter, Owen?" I inquired amazed.

"Unsay those words, Amos!" he said, hoarsely, between his teeth. "As you value your life, unsay them!"

"What words?" I asked. "That Jessie has promised to be my wife? I cannot! Why should I?"

"Why?" he almost shouted. "Because I love her! Because I have worked, toiled, saved only for one purpose—to make her my wife! How dare you, Amos, come sneaking in between? How dare you interfere with my happiness?"

"You love Jessie Redburn, too?" I ejaculated, distressed. "I am sorry, Owen; I never guessed it."

"Then now you know," he broke in; "you must give her up."

"I? You talk folly, Owen! Besides surely it is for Jessie to decide, and she has decided."

"Only because you asked her first," he exclaimed, so strange an expression on his features that as I glanced round at the waste of water I was frightened. "I meant to ask her to morrow. See, I bought this for her only to-day!" Taking out a white box he plucked from it a pretty silver brooch. "You wondered at my high spirits. They were because I felt rich enough to ask Jessie to be my wife; and—now——" He paused, then added, with startling calmness and intensity, "Amos, give her up, for I swear you shall neved wed her!"

Do you take me for a coward, Owen? As you have toiled and worked, so have I for the the same purpose. I would rather surrender my life than Jessie."

With a howl of rage he leaped at me, but suspecting him, I seized a broken oar and stood on the defensive.

Owen looked round for a weapon. To my horror he espied an adze close to his feet, and caught it up

I felt that my fate was sealed. He was a giant to me, and we were alone at night at sea, the moon the sole witness.

But reason had not entirely forsaken him.

"No," he exclaimed, "I'll not strike you down, as I could. Your body might be washed ashore, and I accused of having killed you. Then Jessie wouldn't marry me. But you shall die for all that, and it shall bethought an accident."

Whereupon, raising the adze with a giant's strength, he commenced chopping away at the bottom planks of the boat.

He intended to swamp it. He was an excellent swimmer, I a poor one.

Seeing the rapidly flying chips, I sprang forward, striking with all my might at the madman, for so I considered him.

With a mocking laugh he parried the blow.

Again I struck at him. As I did so my feet splashed in water.

He had succeeded in making the leak.

The smack was filling fast.

I know we were too far from the land for me ever to reach it by swimming though he might. I saw death was certain; despair made me furious. I thought of Jessie—my betrothed but for a few hours.

Taking the oar in both hands, my teeth set, I dashed at my would-be-destroyer.

He skillfully avoided the blow, rushed at me, seized me in his arms, and lifted me into the air like a child.

Was he going to fling me into the sea? No. Even as the thought passed through my brain, like a wrestler he hurled me down with fearful violence to the bottom of the boat.

I was conscious of a sudden pain in my hip, and of deadly sickness. Then my heart throbbed with a great throb as I heard a boat. Raising my voice I called aloud for help.

My enemy stood a moment undecided; then, the foam on his lips, strove again to lift me; but, despite the agony I suffered, I clung to the mast, made strong by hearing the voices coming closer.

Owen heard them too. He ground his teeth as he hissed in my ear, "If you've escaped me now, Amos, it is only for a time! We two will meet again, when there shall be no chance of others parting us."

So saying he left me, and, as I saw him spring into the sea, I became insensible.

When I came to I found myself in my own bed suffering agony in my hip.

A doctor had been sent for, and when he came he said it had been dislocated.

It was a long illness, and only Jessie's love kept me from despair, for not only was my boat gone, but I was told I should be lame all my life.

I groaned when I heard it, and thought "Surely Jessie will not be to blame if she refuses me now!"

But such an idea never entered her mind, nor old Redburn's. She was fondness, he kindness itself.

When finally I could limp out, with a stick, in the sunshine, it was Jessie's arm on which I leaned.

Of Owen, no one heard anything. It was said, strong swimmer though he was, he could never have reached land, for the tide was running out. The surmise was that he had sunk, and his body had been carried out to sea.

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It is understood that as usual Kris Kringle this year refuses to adopt tight pants, toothpick shoes and swallow-tail coat while making his calls.

New Legislation.

The Philadelphia *Times* says as follows in reference to the probable work at Harrisburg this Winter:

The large number of new members sent to each Legislature as a result of the principle of rotation in office generally brings with it a corresponding flood of new legislation, and the approaching session promises to furnish an excellent example of this. The liquor laws, the tax laws, the railroad laws, the game laws and the laws governing county and city officers are liable to be tinkered with from every possible direction, and the usual number of private jobs is confidently expected by those who have closely scrutinized the personnel of both branches of the new Legislature.

It is about as certain as any future event can be that a bill will be introduced at an early date in the session looking to the submission of a liquor prohibitory constitutional amendment to the popular vote. The Republicans have such an overwhelming majority in both branches that some of them confess that they see no way to avoid at least the appearance of an effort to keep their platform pledge on this question. Some of the leaders do not disguise their belief that this plank saved enough prohibition votes to the Republican party to elect Beaver and they anticipate that if the loyal members of the party who want prohibition fail to get united party action in its favor they will leave the party never to return. The high-license advocates will go to Harrisburg armed with an arsenal of facts and figures to show that prohibition does not prohibit, while a high license will be either prohibitory or will handsomely compensate in revenue for the failure to get prohibition. The whole liquor question is likely to be exhaustively discussed, with Providence on the side of the heaviest artillery in the shape of brains and tact.

The enforcement of the railroad sections of the Constitution will doubtless be taken up at early date, but it is likely that nothing will be done with it till after the adjournment of Congress in March. There is a general disposition to wait and see what comes of Senator Cullom's bill for the national regulation of interstate commerce. If Mr. Reagan accepts it as good enough for his school of statesmanship until it can get something more radical enacted the local Legislature may do nothing. On the other hand, if Congress leaves the subject open at its adjournment a vigorous attempt may be made through an anti-discrimination bill at Harrisburg.

The new law enforcing the tax on personal property has not entirely won the good opinion of the tax-dodgers on whom it has drawn the halter, and probably an attempt will be made to repeal it. Its friends, however, will doubtless defend the provisions which have made the collection of such taxes easier than it was before last year, and if any modification is made they will try to see that such features as are objectionable to honest taxpayers are done away with and the burdens of taxation made lighter by more even distribution. It is possible that the capital stock tax on corporations may be repealed so as to afford an excuse for taxing their enormous amounts of money at interest, which the Supreme Court lately decided to be untaxable under the circumstances.

The committee appointed by the late County Commissioners' Convention to revise and suggest modification of the laws relating to their office will probably propose some amendments to the personal tax law and other statutes relating to the collection of public revenues. In particular they will try to secure an alteration of the law governing the election of assessors, so as to provide that the triennial assessment shall be held not immediately after the election of Assessors, but towards the expiration of their terms, when they have acquired the experience needed for an intelligent reassessment of property The Commissioners' committee is unanimous for the repeal of the act of June 23, 1885, fixing a bounty on the destruction of hawks, owls, minks, weasels, wild-cats, foxes and wolves. These bounties have been a serious drain on the Treasuries of some counties.

The members from Pittsburg will urge the passage of a revised charter for cities of the second class, something like the Bullitt charter for cities of the first class, which goes into full force in Philadelphia next spring. Senator Aull's bill which was before the Legislature last year, may be revived and amended as needed to secure its passage. Cities of the third, fourth and fifth classes will hold another convention early in January for the purpose of agreeing on the charter reform legislation for which they will ask. They will probably seek to have the appointing power concentrated in the hands of the Mayor, and will at least ask for the removal of the clause in the acts passed for them last year, which made the acceptance of those acts optional, and caused their nullification by the Supreme Court this year as unconstitutional.

A great deal of legislation in the supposed interest of labor will be brought forward. An attempt will certainly be made to abolish the company store system by some legal method that will not impair the validity of contracts, and there will also be bills for the establishment of co-operative concerns under such legislative restrictions that the liability of an insolvent firm can be definitely fixed on some or all the members of the corporation, and for the abolition or regulation of the employment of convict labor.

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The loss by fire in this country during November amounted to $10,000,000, an increase of one-third over the corresponding month last year. For eleven months of the year the destruction of property by fire aggregated the enormous amount of $105,000,000, or almost one-tenth of the national debt. If the insurers and the insured cannot do more to prevent this total destruction of property, the States, through stricter building, supervision and inspection laws, should do something to check the dreadful waste.

A Madhouse Mikado.

THE COMIC OPERA GIVEN AT THE DANVILLE ASYLUM.

In the top story of the State Lunatic Asylum at Danville there has been built a beautiful recreation hall. It has a neatly fitted stage, a decorated ceiling and comfortable seats. A gallery projects over the rear portion, and just as in regular theatres it is patronized by the bad boys or worst cases in this colony of disorganized brains. There has been several concerts, lectures and magic lantern exhibitions given to amuse the inmates; but it remained for the Starr Opera Company to give the first legitimate performance to the insane in Danville.

The Mikado was the opera selected and its effect upon diseased minds was observed with interest by the physicians and attendants. Of course the members of the company were nervous. When Signor Carlo Torriarri looked out and saw the piano surrounded by over six hundred crazy people he turned pale and his color only returned when one of the doctors and Manager Starr assured him they would sit along side of him. Curiosity kept the patients quiet until the curtain rose. Only a few bars of the opening chorus had been sung when half the audience was swaying in time with the music. When Mr. Harvey entered as "Nankipoo," several of the females appeared struck with his beauty, when he noticed three or four began throwing kisses to him he was himself nearly thrown off his lines. Mr. Kyles' entrance as "Pooh-Bah" had a quieting effect, except upon one lady who insisted on standing up and pulling an imaginary long mustache, such as the giant baritone wears. No sooner had Frank Deshon sang his first song than a burst of laughter followed. It was interrupted by the shout from an excited female, who evidently up to this point imagined the company was singing hymns.

"The curse of God be on ye," she cried, "He will curse you if you laugh at that little man." Attendants quieted her just in time for another to say: "He has pretty hands, so small, baby hands." The entrance of the female chorus, the bright dresses and odd costumes seemed to please. Miss May Duryea, Miss May Douglass and Zazel the three little maids, were received with marked approval. Several gentlemen at once began to convince them by signs that they were just too pretty for anything. They were encored. When "Ko-Ko" said of "Yum-Yum," "This is my bride that is to be." A deep voice rang out from the audience, "Don't jump in the fire, if you marry you'l be in the fire, don't do it." When the kiss duett between "Nanki-Poo" and "Yum-Yum" was in progress it delighted all but those who had fallen in love with "Yum-Yum" and "Nanki-Poo." One man sang out, "That ain't right, she is my girl," while two of the lady patients were almost ready to make their way to the stage to stop the kissing business so jealous were they of "Nanki-Poo"—Harvey. The stirring chorus of the finale started several. In one spot a man stood up keeping time with his mouth and dancing. Another was playing an imaginary fiddle, a second was beating a phantom drum, while a third was directing with as much vim as if he was Theodore Thomas conducting the National Opera with three or four principals kicking so as to make him good humored with the instrumentalists.

The second act went well, the quieter portions of the music aroused the religious tendency of some who would kneel in prayer. One or two went to sleep, and in the midst of the "moon and I" song one poor unfortunate was carried out in a fit. When "Nanki Poo" proposed to let "Ko-Ko" behead him Deshon took the sword and acted as if about to do so. One of the lady admirers of the tenor immediately proposed to stop the execution.

"You have no right to take his life," she exclaimed. "Jesus only has that right. I won't allow you to kill him. He is mine if he aint true to me and kisses that ugly little woman."

Charles Osborne's entrance as the "Mikado," and Miss Maggie Baxter as "Katisha," was again effective in greeting the audience. When the "Mikado" suggested punishment of boiling oil and melted lead it pleased all evidently who thought "Ko Ko" richly deserved such punishment. One, however, insisted on informing the "Mikado" that "Ko-Ko" was telling him a pack of lies.

When the curtain fell the applause was great. Just what the effect would be could only be told by those in authority. Manager Starr received a letter of thanks from Superintendent Dr. S. S. Shultz, in which he said:

"I desire to thank you and all the members of your company for the handsome and very generous entertainment you were kind enough to give our folks. Please accept this expression of my appreciation of your courtesy. It was a red letter day among the patients who will for weeks remember and talk of it. Your performance has effectively for the time being at least (I hope with some for a much longer time) turned their thoughts out of their diseased channels."

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1886.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

During the session of the Legislature of 1885 a bill was introduced by Senator Harlan of Chester County requiring Physiology and Hygiene to be taught in all public schools of this state. The bill passed the senate without a dissenting vote, after which it was sent to the House for concurrence and passed that body with but little opposition. It received the Governor's approval and is now one of the statutes of the state. Similar laws have been passed in nearly all the leading States of the union. So that we are not behind in introducing this important study in our public schools. It has met but very little opposition,—only those who do not properly understand the law and the subject to be taught, oppose it. Hygiene may be defined to be "a system of principles or rules designed for the promotion of health," and Physiology, "the science of life." The study of the structure of the human system, and the laws of the different organs are subjects of interest to all. Every child should learn the laws of health, and the conditions upon which health and disease depend, as this knowledge may be practiced in after life. Diseases do not come by chance. They are penalties for violating physical laws. How can we expect our children to obey these laws unless they study and understand them. Precious lives are frequently lost through ignorance. Thousands squander in early years the strength which should have been kept for the work of real life. Habits are often formed in youth which entail weakness and poverty upon manhood and are a cause of life-long regret. The preservation of health is easier than the cure of disease. Childhood cannot afford to wait for the lesson of experience which is learned only when the penalty of violated law has been already incurred, and health lost. The body is the instrument which the mind uses and every child should learn how to take care of it. The grandest gifts of mind or fortune are comparatively valueless unless there be a healthy body to use and enjoy them. A proper knowledge of Physiology and Hygiene would greatly lessen the number of diseases and a large proportion of the ills which now afflict and rob us of so much time and pleasure might be easily avoided. Our bodies are constituted in harmony with certain laws, and every person should learn these in order to regulate his actions and the performance of his duties, so that health may be unimpaired and the power of enjoyment, activity, and usefulness continue while life lasts. The great aim of this study is the preservation of health. A celebrated philosopher once said that "It is somewhat unaccountable and not a little inconsistent that while we direct the young to look abroad over the surface of the earth and survey its mountains, rivers, seas and continents, and guide their views to the regions of the firmament, where they may contemplate the moons of Jupiter, the rings of Saturn and thousands of luminaries placed at immeasurable distances, that we should never teach them to look into themselves, to consider their own corporeal structure the numerous parts of which they are composed, the admirable functions they perform, the wisdom and goodness displayed in their mechanism and the lessons of practical instruction which may be derived from such contemplation."

The Superintendent of Public Instruction in his annual report of 1885 makes the following statement:

"In regard to the recent law requiring physiology and hygiene to be taught as part of the necessary curriculum of our public schools, a word here may not be out of place. Of course where children cannot read intelligently or with ease, it would be a monstrous perversion of ordinary common sense to expect them to use a text-book. Their instruction must be oral; and such instruction must and ought to be given, properly adapted to the age and attainment of the pupil. In higher grades, text books in full conformity with the meaning and purpose of the law should be used; and thus all pupils, whether of low or high grades, will receive instruction. It is needless to anticipate difficulties, Children, it is true, may spend a long series of years in the public schools, and the question may in time arise whether those who have already studied the subject with sufficient fullness must be made to go over and over again the same study, in the same form from year to year. The law requires no such foolish procedure. It requires that each and every child in our public schools shall have the benefit of instruction in the branches referred to, and this under proper regulations according to the age and grade of the pupil and in a manner which shall exclude all useless repetition of the same elements of instruction. Only enmity to the law can warrant such an interpretation as will defeat its own purpose, which plainly is that all our children shall gain as much knowledge of physiology and hygiene as our common schools, with their limited sphere, can give, accompanied at each step with a proper practical application of this knowledge in reference especially to the effects of alcohol and narcotics on the human system. Such knowledge is in itself of vast account and such special application of it in way of warning, properly belongs to the moral discipline which should characterize all teaching, whether required by definite statute or not. The law-abiding habits of teachers and directors give abundant assurance that this law will be fully obeyed. Of this we have no doubt."

An Old Teacher.

Lightstreet.

Since the furnaces were removed from here many years ago, Lightstreet has been characterized by its quiet bearing. This quietness is now to be disturbed by a factory or mill of some description which is to furnish employment to our idle hands. We have slept a sort of Rip Van Winkle nap and are now for the first time, awake to the changes that have been going on within and around us, and have for once become aroused to the duties which these mutations have imposed upon us. There was a time when the farmers in the vicinity kept all at work but that day was before the appearance of the improved farm machinery now in use. If we do not pester ourselves with a railroad we will fall with a deeper lethargy than before and the world will forget that the pretty village of Lightstreet had an existence in reality; and like the famous seven we may awake centuries hence, strangers to all persons, to all customs and progress and like them die of broken hearts. The citizens of town met in the school house one day last week to discuss the possibility of inducing some person to locate a factory of some kind among us. The subject was discussed at great length, and all expressed their willingness to share in any expense that might be necessary, so far as they were able. It was resolved, "That we give a site and otherwise aid any desirable industry that will locate in this town." The following persons were then appointed a committee to correspond with parties and advertise this resolution; Francis Heck, Chairman; A. B. White, J. H. Keim, Alf. Irvin and J. S. Grimes. The committee have had a meeting and have adopted plans. We hope soon to hear that they have done something.

A debating society has been organized by the young men of town. They meet every Friday evening and debate these memorable questions, in the discussion of which, when young, we all achieved fame by showing our surprised and transfixed auditors how we "could distinguish and divide a hair twixt south and southwest side." None of these questions used to bring forth more earnest appeals to the judges, and finer discriminations than, "Which has caused the more misery, war or intemperance?" and "Which is the more destructive fire or water?" These questions promise to furnish to unborn generations means of controversary in debating societies.

The M. E. Sunday School will have a Christmas tree and an exhibition on Christmas night.

The railroad is all graded near town except at the Lime stone cut and at Hoffman's dam. A number of the workmen have left.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

WANTED, 100 MEN THIS WEEK to buy winter suits and overcoats at D. Lowenberg's.

The celebrated Christmas Cantata, "Santa Claus' Mistake," will be rendered in the Union Church of Orangeville on Christmas eve, Dec. 24. All are invited.

Gents' Toilet Sets, Ladies' Toilet Sets, Manicures, Gents' Shaving Sets, Ladies' Work Boxes, Smokers Sets—at George A. Clark's book store.

The Lutheran Sunday School of this place will give a cantata on Friday evening of next week entitled "Santa Claus' Home." The cantata is one of the latest published by Biglow & Main of New York city.

Special bargains in silver and silver plated ware, warranted to give entire satisfaction. Goods engraved free of charge at C. E. Savage's, 1st door below the Court House. d 10 3t.

A passenger car will be attached to the freight train going south due Bloomsburg 10 p. m., for the accomodation of the people living south of Bloomsburg who wish to attend the Col. Co. institute course of lectures.

Photograph Albums, Autograph Albums, etc., at Clark's book store.

Lloyd Creasy of Catawissa shot a wild turkey in a corn field on his farm about one mile from Catawissa, early Monday morning. A flock of seven turkeys, were seen near the place, and Mr. Creasy was on the lookout for them. The turkey weighed fifteen pounds. It was given to his father-in-law Ex-treasurer H. A. Schweppenheiser.

The real estate of J. H. Maize Esq. advertised at public sale by him on last Saturday, was not sold, owing to the fact that the prices offered were not anywhere near the value of the properties. Any one desiring to purchase at private sale should consult Mr Maize. His properties can be bought very cheap, but he does not propose to give them away.

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Judge Rice has made a very favorable impression by his affable manner, his ready decisions, and his able charges. Having filled a professorship at the Normal school about twenty years ago, he finds many old friends here, and has made many new ones. He entered his name as a law student in Col Freeze's office in 1868, but subsequently went to Wilkesbarre where he completed his studies and was admitted. He is one of the youngest common pleas judges of the state, but he has already acquired a wide reputation as an able jurist.

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Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

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Before buying your Christmas presents, don't fail to examine the pretty things at Clark's book store.

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Illustrated Gift Books, Toy Books, in abundance, at Clark's book store.

James M. Fritz Esq. passed an entirely satisfactory examination for admission to the bar last Friday evening, and was sworn in as an attorney on Monday afternoon. Mr. Fritz is a graduate of Lafayette college, and read law in the office of C. G. Barkley Esq. He has a promising future before him.

Work Boxes, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, Music Rolls, etc., at Clark's book store.

Various rumors have been put in circulation concerning Judge Elwell's health. He was unable to hold court because his hearing was affected by catarrh in the head, the result of a cold. He was in his office in the court house most of last week, and caught some additional cold, which kept him at home this week. His physician assures him that his ailments are only temporary.

24 hanging lamps in different styles at Mercer's drug and book store. Prices from 2.50 to 9.00.

Christmas Cards at Clark's book store.

W. E. Deitterich of Espy, met with an accident on Thursday of last week, which fortunately did not prove very serious. He was driving from Espy to Bloomsburg in company with Wm. Abbot, and when near Harman & Hassert's machine shop, he suddenly turned his horse down East street, and as he crossed the gutter, one of the wheels was completely wrecked, throwing both persons out the wagon. Mr. Deitterich clung to the lines to stop the horse, and was dragged along over the ice quite a distance until he came to a small pile of coal ashes when he was thrown down and the horse tearing away from him ran to the end of the street and then plunged into the ice on the canal. The two occupants of the wagon hastened after the horse and with difficulty succeeded in getting him out of the water and ice. Mr. Deitterich escaped with only a few bruises on the nose.

An endless variety of Christmas cards at Mercer's drug and book store.

Complete sets of Dickens, Eliot, Scott, Lord Lytton, Irving, Thackeray, Black—at Clark's book store.

Institute Instructors.

Rev. Theo. S. Cuyler of Brooklyn said July 27 1886:

I am happy to learn that you are intending to give to a wider public next winter your instructive and delightful lecture on Siberia, and your racy adventure among the Arctic snows. It is one of the most capital treats I have ever enjoyed from the lecture platform. The many who have read your volume "Tent Life in Siberia," will be eager to listen to its author, and the many men who have not read it will have a new chapter of life unfolded to them. May you and your bear skin costume be greeted by thousands of delighted auditors. 2t.

Manayunk *Chronicle*, Pa., says of Col. Conwell: A perfect master of the orator's art; brilliant, incisive, overpowering, eloquent words are so linked with vivid gesture, that he seems the born throll of the reigning, emotions and wit never so keen, humor never so refined, yet broad and genial, pathos never so genuine and deep, make everything he touches part of a grand procession wherein axiomatic through and pertinent anecdote not only point to Heaven, but lead the way. Almost every sentence is an inspiration, and in closing his Jules Verne-ish grasp on the trend of scientific achievement, seems to send an electric illumination to the very verge of the millenium.

As an author and orator, Col. Conwel won high honors.—*N. Y. Tribune.* 2t

Dr. Buckley's lecture on "Cranks, or how not to go mad" is a good lecture, but not a humorous one. The latter part of its title gives a clue to its general drift. It is really an exhaustive discussion of the subject of insanity, treating upon all its phases and freaks; how to handle and help its victims: how to ward it off when there seems to be an hereditary tendency to it and how to live so as not go mad. The lecture is an able and very interesting discussion of the whole subject, occasionally witty, but not humorous, and the person who goes with the expectation of laughing or who cannot rise above that plane in the scale of entertainment will be greatly disappointed. The Dr. speaks rather pleasantly, with force and precision, but with no effect at oratorical display.

2t. Prof. S. V. Foose, Harrisburg.

Miss Ross comes very highly recommended by the State Superintendent of Pa., Ohio, Florida, Alabama, and Dr. E. E. White, ex-State Supt. of Ohio, Dr. Northrop ex-State Supt. of Conn., Hon. Henry Houch, Col. Bain, Col. Conwell, Dr. Benks, Dr. Waller, and ever so many other eminent educators.

Prof. Neff is considered by educators of acknowledged ability as one of the very best teachers of reading. He was for a number of years one of the professors in Shoemaker's National School of Oratory, Phila.

Something New.

Japanese goods at A. S. Truckenmiller's, Catawissa. Beautiful curios in china and oriental wares, tete-a-tete sets, pot-a-pourri jars, tea pots, oat meal sets, rare vases and elegant dishes for various uses. Also handsome decorative goods, folding screens, scrolls, mats, fans, parasols, bamboo wall pockets, baskets, lacquered trays and toilet boxes &c. They are all imported goods and make rare and beautiful Christmas presents or souvenirs for any occasion.

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Teacher's Institute.

The teacher's institute which convenes in the Opera House this place next week, commencing Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, promises to be the best in the history of our county. Every teacher should be present. The following is a list of instructors to be present: Dr. E. E. Higbee, State Superintendent: Miss Matilda Ross, Chicago; Prof. Neff, Philadelphia; Miss Belle McClintock, Meadville, Pa; Dr. D. J. Waller, Prof. Wm. Noetling, Prof. D. A. Beckley, Miss E. B. Guie, Miss Hannah Breece of Bloomsburg, Prof. H. G. Clark, of Berwick; Prof. J. F. Harkins, Orangeville; Prof. W. F. Heffner, Centralia; Prof. F. Ream, Danville; Prof. C. J. Fisher, Catawissa.

Supt. Grimes has given special attention to the evening entertainments and has prepared a fine program as follows:

Monday Evening:—Solo, Miss Belle McClintock; Music, Bloomsburg Choral Society; Lecture, "Among the Masses," Col. Geo. W. Bain.

Tuesday Evening—Solo, Miss Belle McClintock; Music, Bloomsburg Choral Society; Lecture, "Cranks," Dr. J. M. Buckley.

Wednesday Evening:—Recitation, Miss E. B. Guie; Music, Bloomsburg Choral Society; Lecture, "Acres of Diamonds" Col. R. H. Conwell.

Thursday Evening:—Music, Bloomsburg Choral Society; Lecture, "Dog Sledge Travel in Kamschatka and Siberia," George Kennan.

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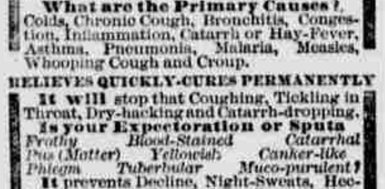

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Orphans' Court Sale

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate!

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth Kline, late of Greenwood township, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 1887,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described valuable real estate, situated in said township, bounded by lands of John Gillaspy, Sylvester Albertson, John Moore, John Staley and Philip Reece's heirs, containing

86 ACRES,

more or less, on which are erected a good one and a half story

DWELLING HOUSE,

a good bank barn, wagon shed and other outbuildings. There is about 30 acres of timber land with from 50,000 to 100,000 feet of Hemlock and Pine timber, the balance is in good state of cultivation. There is on the premises an

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of good fruit and a good spring of water running near the house.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter with interest from confirmation nisi.

Dec. 17. A. R. PATTERSON, Executor.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the stockholders of the Fishingcreek Mutual Fire Insurance Company will meet at their office in Stillwater, Columbia county, Pa., on Monday, Jan. 3 1887, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing officers and a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year.

M. W. McHENRY, Secretary.

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PATENTS. But small percentage of fees in advance, balance when patent is obtained. Send for circular giving full information, and containing list of references. M. J. CLAGETT, Washington, D. C. Pacific Building. (sep17.6m.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Elizabeth Kline deceased, Greenwood twp.

Letters testamentary in said estate having been granted to the undersigned executor, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

AARON R. PATTERSON, Executor,

dec 17*

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

ESTATE OF LEONARD SPONENBERG DECEASED.

To Wesley Sponenberg, Matilda Smith, Hannah Bechtel of Washingtonville, Montour county, Pa., and Mary Petriken, Renova, Pa.

You and each of you are hereby notified that a petition was presented to the Orphan's Court of Columbia county, on Monday, December 6, 1886, by Olivia Culp, asking for a writ of partition on the following described real estate situate in Briarcreek township, said county, bounded on the north by Daniel Pursel, on the south by land of Hicks formerly William Fress, on the west by land of Hicks, Daniel Pursell and E. L. Adam's, on the east by public road and land of ——— containing ten acres, more or less, on which is erected a two-story frame house, stable and out-buildings. Whereupon the said court ordered that notice be given all parties residing out of the county by publication for four successive weeks, and that said inquest be awarded as prayed for in the petition. You are therefore notified that an inquest will be held on said premises on Thursday, January 20, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of making partition among the heirs of said intestate, or if it cannot be divided without injury to or spoiling the whole, then to value and appraise the same according to law, at which time you can attend if you think proper.

SAMUEL SMITH, Sheriff.

dec 17-4w.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of S. W. McHenry, late of Jackson Twp.

Letters of administration on said estate, having been granted to the undersigned adm'rs. all persons indebted to said estate are here hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same to

MRS. THEODOSIA B. McHENRY,
Z. A. BUTT,
Adm'rs.
Dec. 3. WALLER, P. O.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Emma M. Brader, late of Centre Twp., deceased.

Letters of administration on the said estate having been granted to the undersigned admr., all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate present the same to

nov12 6t* A. D. BRADER, Adm'r.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Maggie D. Lord, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Letters of administration on said estate, having been granted to the undersigned administrator all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to pay the same, and those having claims against said estate to present the same to

M. C. WOODWARD, Administrator.

dec 17.

RETURN NOTICE.

An Act of the Legislature and approved June 2, 1881, (see Pamphlet Laws, page 45,) requiring Tax Collectors, township and borough officers, to make return of seated and unseated lands upon which no property can be found, from which to make taxes to the County Commissioners, on or before the first day of January next, with a sufficient description, by boundries or otherwise, of each separate lot or tract and about the quantity of the same. Those who fail to make returns by said day will be held for such loss. Taxes so returned become a lien against the property so returned. We have blanks on which these returns are to be made and will furnish them upon application of collectors, &c.

JOHN B. CASEY,
Bloomsburg, Dec 10, 1886. Com'rs Clerk.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Monday, the 27th day of December, 1886, under Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29 1874, and the supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Orangeville Shoe Manufacturing Company," the character and object of which is the manufacturing and selling of boots, shoes or both, or of any other article of commerce made from leather, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy, all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

The names of the subscribers to the certificate of incorporation are Chas. K. Canfield, Alfred Houtz, H. J. Conner, A. M. Dewitt and G. S. Fleckenstine.

C. W. MILLER,
Dec 3. Solicitor.

Administrator's Sale

OF VALUABLE

Real Estate!

The undersigned, administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of John Springer, late of the township of Hemlock, in the county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, deceased will expose to public sale, by virtue of power in the will of the said deceased, on

Thursday, Dec. 30, 1886,

at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, upon the premises, the following described tract of land of the estate of the said decedent testator, namely: That certain tract of land, situate in the aforesaid township of Hemlock, bounded by lands of Elisha Brugler, Frederick Miller, Egbert Thomson, estate of Levi Wright, deceased, and Thomas and Albert Hartman, containing

107 ACRES

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Dec 10. Admr., c. t. a.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

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Reported by G. S. Palmer, Wholesale Commission Merchant, 166 Reade St., N. Y.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13, 1886.

All poultry intended for Christmas should be here not later than the 22d, and same will apply to shipments of game, fruits, etc. The market continues firm on fresh gathered eggs and all such selling from 27 to 28 cts., with fancy white leghorns at 35 and limed 18 cts. Large shipments are expected from the West, but fancy, large turkeys from near-by are always preferred and will bring good prices. At present turkeys are selling from 11 to 13 cts. Chickens 10 to 12 cts. Fowl, 7 to 9c. Ducks 11 to 12c. Geese 10 to 11c. Choice game in good demand and selling quail at $2.00 per dozen. Partridge 75 to 90 cts. per pair. Rabbits 30 to 40c. per pair. Fancy grades of creamery butter in light supply are selling from 25 to 30 cts.; choice fresh flavored, tubs and pails, 25 to 28 cts., good 23 to 24 cts., inferior grades 15 to 18. Cheese, fancy, 12 to 13 cts., medium grades 10 to 11c. The market on apples continues firm and selling Kings and Spitz, from $3.50 to $4.00 per bbl. Choice Greenings $3. and other winter varities $2.50 to $3.00 per bbl. Lady apples $3.00 to $5.00 for half bbl. Cranberries in good demand and choice dark berries scarce and worth from $9.00 to 10.00 per bbl., medium grades $8 to $9.00; boxes $2 00 to $3.00. Fla. oranges, fancy, $2 50 per box; russets $1.50. Hickory nuts selling from $1.50 to $2.75 per bush. There is a scarcity of choice cabbage and market firmer; selling from $4.00 to $5.50 per 100 heads. Celery $1.25 to $1.50 per dozen. Choice white onions $3.00 to $3.50 per bbl., red and yellow $2 25. Russian turnips $1.00 per bbl. Potatoes firm, and selling choice rose, burbank and hebron at $1.75 per bbl. Peerless $1.50. Sweet potatoes $2.50. The market very firm on marrow beans and selling at $2.10. White kidney $2.00; red $1.75. Medium $1.65. Further advance in the prices of evaporated apples and selling fancy stock from 12 to 12½ cts. sun-dried 4 to 5c; chopped apples 4 cts. Evap. peaches, peeled, 20 to 28 cts., unpeeled 12 to 14 cts. sun-dried 5 to 10 cts. Honey continues dull and ranging in prices from 9 to 13 cts. Beeswax 21 to 22 cts. Hay selling all the way from 65 to 90 cts. per cwt. Rye straw 60 to 70c. Few furs arriving, and selling Beaver from $6.00 to $9.00; Fox $1.00 to $1.75; Skunk 30 cts. to $1.30; Muskrat 10 to 20 cts., Mink 75 cts to $1.50.

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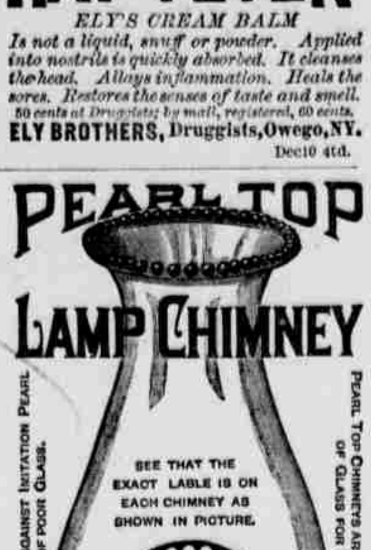

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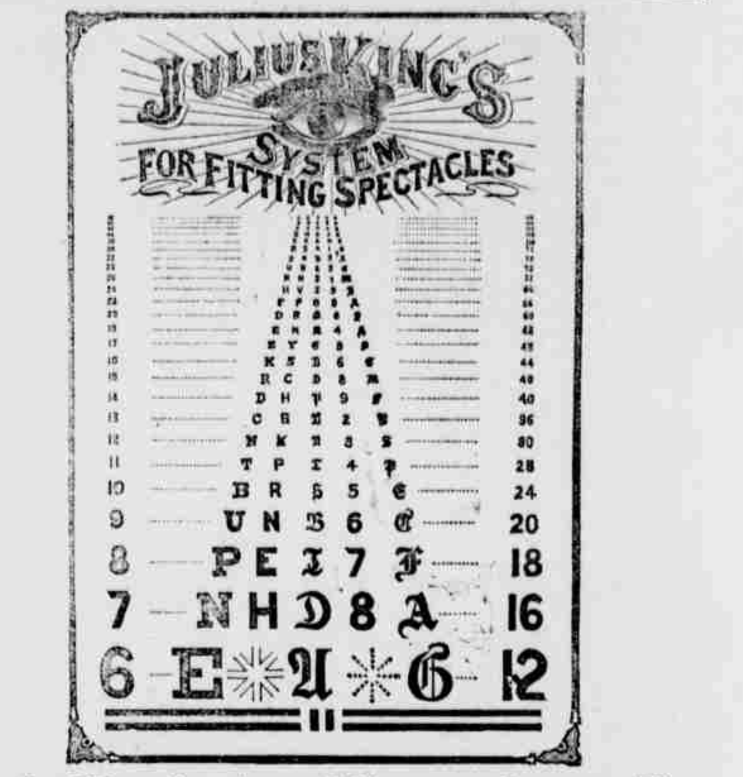

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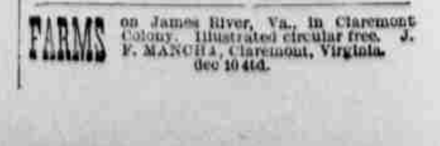

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The Columbian.
BLOOMSBURG, PA
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1886.

CORRECT RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6:36 a. m.	11:49 a. m.
3:42 p. m.	6:13 p. m.

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Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6:15 a. m.	8:29 a. m.
10:20 a. m.	11:44 a. m.
2:02 p. m.	4:10 p. m.
6:36 p. m.	8:47 p. m.

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Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:47 a. m.	11:57 a. m.
5.23 p. m.	3 20 p. m.

SUNDAY.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
10:14 a m	6:44 p m

PUBLIC SALES.

DEC 30.—P. S. Brugler, administrator o. John Springer deceased, will sell valuable real estate in Hemlock township at 1 o'clock p. m.

DEC. 30—M. C. Woodward administrator of the estate of Maggie D. Lord, will sell personal property on premises, on Catharine street near Third, Bloomsburg, Pa. Parlor and cook stoves, furniture, beds, bedding, &c.

FOR SALE.—A fresh cow and calf.
d173t P. DILLON.

WANTED:—A loan of $300, $700 and $3000 for either one or more years on the best of real estate security. Interest paid either annually or semi-annually. For information inquire of Wm. Snyder, Prothonotary, Bloomsburg.

Spectacles and Eye glasses at George A. Clark's Book Store.

Personal.

Mr. A. S. Truckenmiller of Catawissa was in town Tuesday. Mr. Truckenmiller is the popular music dealer in Catawissa.

Mr. A. S. Hottenstein, editor of the Milton *Economist* and also post master was in town Friday of last week.

Rev. Mr. Leverett and family arrived on Thursday. There will be services at the Episcopal church on Sunday.

Ex-attorney general Palmer, Hon. Alexander Farnham, A. Ricketts and C. W. McAlarney Esqs., all of Wilkesbarre were employed as counsel in a case tried on Tuesday in court.

Beautiful Artotypes, in handsome frames, at Clark's book store.

Court proceedings are crowded out this week.

Diaries for 1887 at Mercer's drug and book store.

Mrs. Paxton, of Rupert, will be one hundred years old Christmas.

Silver and gold thimbles at Bernhard's jewelry store. Engraved free of charge.

A district institute will be held in Brunner's church in Pine township on Saturday the 18th.

Artotypes; Ideal Heads, in different styles, and at different prices, at Clark's book store.

Dr. W. M. Reber is in poor health and has gone to Philadelphia for treatment. His wife is with him.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.—Just received a fine lot of Imported Night Singing Canaries at A. Solleder's.

The regular meeting of council was held last Friday night. No business of importance was transacted.

Passengers and baggage delivered free to persons buying western tickets of Moyer Bro's. Agts. Penna. R. R.

A dog ran under the afternoon passenger train at the East street crossing last Tuesday, and was cut in two.

Portmonais, Pocket Books, Purses—at Clark's book store.

Those who need bob sleds this winter can find a fine lot of them at the Millville wagon works, John Eves, proprietor. [2w.

Papetries, Writing Desks, Writing Cases—at all prices—at Clark's book store.

The trial of Conyngham & Payne against McAlarney and wife resulted in a verdict in favor of plaintiff for $9987.74. The suit was on a mortgage on coal lands in Beaver. The case will no doubt go to the Supreme court.

Just received ladies' gold watches, silver watches. A fine line of jewelry of all kinds. Ladies' and gents gold chains of latest designs at C. E. Savage's. d 10 3t

REAL SEALSKIN CAPS

now on hand at D. Lowenberg's.

We have heard in our time many eloquent men, some of them distinguished as great orators, but a more eloquent, a more forcible, or a more logical speaker we have never heard than Geo. W. Bain.—*Butler Citizen.*

Brass Palettes, Plaques, Scrolls, Inkstands, Sealingwax Sets, Easles, Key Racks, Ash Receivers, etc., at George A. Clark's book store.

Miss McClintock will sing at each session of the Institute until Wednesday at 9.30 a. m. when she will appear before the institute for the last time. A cordial invitation to attend all of the sessions of the institute is extended to all.

Silk Mufflers For Gentlemen

just received a full assortment at D. Lowenberg's.

40 different styles of albums at Mercer's drug and book store.

Tickets for the institute course of lectures can be purchased at Dentler's any time after one p. m., Monday Dec 20.

Single admission 35 cents. Reserved seats 50 cents. Tickets for the course $1. Reserved seats for the course $1.50.

Gold spectacles extra quality at L. Bernhard's.

Get your wedding invitations at the COLUMBIAN office

For elegant Christmas presents at low prices, go to A. S. Truckenmiller's book & music, store Catawissa. A full line of fine stationers goods, toys, games and dolls. Oil paints, placques, novelties in brass goods and artists' supplies a specialty. Pianos, organs and sewing machines at lowest prices. It will pay you to give us a call.

THE LATEST STYLE HAT

can now be found at the popular store of D. Lowenberg.

The largest line of juveniles in town at Mercer's drug and book store.

If the sufferers from consumption, scrofula, and general debility, will try Scott's Emulsion of pure cod liver oil, with Hypophosphites, they will find immediate relief and a permanent benefit. Dr. H. V. Mott, Brentwood, Cal., writes: "I have used Scott's Emulsion with great advantage in cases of phthisis, scrofula, and wasting diseases generally. It is very palatable."

THE WELLS HOMICIDE.

W. M. HUGHES ACQUITTED BY THE JURY WITHOUT LEAVING THE BOX.

The trial of William M. Hughes for the shooting of Clem W. Wells at Orangeville on Nov. 13 began Wednesday afternoon of last week, Judge Green presiding. Most of the afternoon was spent in the selection of a jury. District Attorney Billmeyer had no assistance in the conduct of the case from associate counsel. He managed the case with much tact and ability, and while he produced all the evidence that could be found on the behalf of the commonwealth he did not attempt to conceal or keep back any testimony that might operate in favor of the defendant. He did his whole duty in the matter and did it well.

Messrs. Buckalew, Barkley and Scarlet conducted the defense. After the witnesses for the prosecution had been heard, they produced all that remained necessary, if anything, to show a clear case of self-defense. Mr. Billmeyer opened the case for the commonwealth and Mr. Buckalew for the defendant.

It is but a few weeks since we published the testimony in the habeas corpus hearing, and as there was but little change from that, we give below the testimony in addition to what was heard then.

WM. H. SNYDER—sworn.—(Revolver shown witness.) I received this revolver of James Long. Five chambers are discharged, one loaded. He gave it to me as the one used by Hughes.

JAMES LONG, hotel keeper—sworn.—Testifies to what occurred without any material variance in his evidence as given at the habeas corpus. Said he found an old satchel in the bed room of Wells about half-past seven on the evening of the shooting, under the bed, containing 14 cans of giant powder and 17 caps.

H. J. CONNER—re-called.—Testified as to the revolver, that it was in appearance the same as the one given him on the day of the shooting and by him given to Long to bring to Bloom. (Revolver admitted in evidence.)

WM. CRAWFORD—sworn.—Saw Wells and Hughes at hotel. Wells came out from behind the bar and called Hughes a son of a bitch. I saw Hughes shake his fist under Hughes' nose and heard him say afterwards that he was going to give him a thrashing. This was all the day before the killing. Knew Wells when I saw him. He was about my size.

G. B. W. HOSLER.—Live in Foundryville, was at Long's hotel Nov. 12th—in company with Meyers came to Bloom that evening—me and Meyers went into the washroom at the Exchange hotel and washed our hands—in a few minutes Wells came in—saw Hughes there—he came by the door, passed, came back and struck Wells and then ran into the bar room—Wells ran after him—I saw or heard nothing from Wells before Hughes struck him in the washroom. As I came out the washroom Hughes ran up to the bar—I said what is all this for and he said Wells threatened to lick or kill him and he would not take it. Did not see Wells there. Adams gave me a ticket to Berwick and told me to give it to Wells and tell him to go home. I went to the stable and gave it to Wells—he said Adams had hired him to drive his team and he was going to do it. I saw Mr. Hughes after dinner next day at Long's hotel—he was talking to Sam Adams, I heard Hughes say, "if Clem Wells or any other man lays his hands on me you'll have a corpse to carry home." He pulled a revolver out of his pocket. I went and told Wells to leave him alone. Wells said Hughes was afraid to shoot. Afterwards as I took hold of the knob of the door on Pine street to open it to go and get my horse and go home I heard a shot and heard some one say, "there, *my God*, I bet he shot him." When I got outside I saw Hughes on the ground and Wells on top with his knees on his breast and striking him in the face. On cross examination witness denied having paraded the halls of the Exchange and said to James Brown, Barry or Col. Bridgens on the night before the killing that Hughes had struck Wells a cowardly blow and he was there to see fair play; he also denied having offered Wells money in the Exchange hotel stable to do Hughes up.

G. B. W. HOSLER—re-called.—I have said if I had been in the same state of health, I understand Hughes was in, I think I would be justified in doing as he did."

JACOB MEYERS.—Reside in Coatesville, Chester Co., was in Orangeville the day before the shooting, sitting in the hotel. I saw Wells and Hughes there about 11 o'clock. Wells said what kind of damn talk is this you have about me, this to Hughes. Hosler and I came to Bloom that night. We came to Exchange hotel and went to the water closet. Hosler stopped to wash his hands. I went into the closet for about ten minutes. When I came out I saw Hughes come through the washroom, go into the closet, come out and then struck Wells on the left side on the back part of the head. I saw them run to the left and afterwards pass the washroom door towards the bar room. On Saturday, the first I saw of Hughes, he was standing at the bar at the end next the hall in Long's hotel. Adams was there and I think James Butler. Long was behind the bar. Saw Hughes pull some thing out of his pocket and say if Wells did not keep away Adams would have a corpse to take home. I went to Wells and told him he must not go out, he said I couldn't keep him. I said I could and would hold him if he didn't strike——. I saw Hughes fall back on his two elbows—am not positive whether Wells took hold of him or not—they were very close.

On cross examination witness said he did not tell Wells "that if he was a man at all he would beat Hughes—never encouraged him to renew the assault. When I went into the dining room Wells was sitting at the table. He said he had heard what Hughes said and wanted to go in. I prevented him. Mrs. Long came in and took hold of him and then Mr. Adams came to the hall door and said he wanted to speak to him. I did not hear what Adams said to him.

Commonwealth rests.

Defense opened by C. R. Buckalew.

DR. W. R. LONGSHORE.—Reside in Hazleton. Am a physician. Hughes has been a patient of mine for 8 or 10 years for disease of nerves of the face, his affection is chronic on the right side of his face. The attacks are repeated and exceedingly painful: There is no pain that equals its paroxysms. It renders him perfectly powerless. The effect of a blow on the side of his head would be to completely paralyze his physical powers. I have given him arsenic, strychnia, nitro glycerine and quinine. I regard his case as incurable.

SILAS MASTELLER.—Live in Bloom. I was in Orangeville on the day of the shooting. Saw Hughes' rig on Pine street by the hotel. I saw him come out of Stewart's store and go across the street, saw Wells come with his fist closed toward him. Hughes started toward Sleppy store Wells caught up to him and struck him and knocked him down first on one knee and on his elbow and then I heard the first shot fired, it went in the ground, then Wells grabbed Hughes by the throat and Hughes went down on the broad of his back and then I heard three or four shots. Wells said something when he approached Hughes, but I could not hear it. I wanted to tell Hughes not to go to the hotel and was on my way to do this when the killing took place. I was about 300 feet away when the first shot was fired. Hughes did nothing as he was crossing the street, he was walking at a lively gait with his head down. On Friday evening Wells met me at or near the Central hotel and said that he had been down at the Exchange and knocked down Morris Sloan and Bill Hughes. I told him he had better leave Hughes alone. He said he would kill the ———— when he came to Orangeville. He would darken his light for him.

ABRAM BITTENBENDER.—I was at Orangeville, went there Friday evening, and was there until after dinner next day. James Long said Wells had knocked Bill Hughes down the night before. Wells said I'll meet him again. I'll fix him. Hughes said I want you to keep that man away from me, I don't want to be hammered to death and there may be a funeral, or something like that. This was in the bar room. Long and I were talking when the first shot was fired. Long said, "there it goes, just as I expected." I went to the window and saw the smoke of the pistol, showing it had been fired up Pine street into the ground.

JAMES BUTLER.—Went to the Orangeville Hotel about noon. Hughes had business with me concerning some work at Lightstreet. That was apparently his business in calling at the hotel. I saw Wells there before Hughes came. I asked him if he was going to work for Hughes and he said he was not and that when Hughes came up there he would use him up so he would not go out to work very soon.

GEORGE MCGOWAN.—I was at Long's hotel Saturday afternoon—saw Wells—he said he was looking for Hughes and if he came up he was going to do him up well. Witness resides in Berks Co.

JOHN KNORR.—I saw Wells at Fleckenstine's store and he said he was going to lay Hughes out, if he came up. He would crack his skull so they would need a new boss for the next six months. He said he was about as full of whiskey as he was the night before and had about a quart. He said he couldn't fight unless he was full of whiskey.

FREDERICK KAMMERER.—Wells came to barn about 3 p. m. Wanted to know whose horses those were. I said Hughes'. He said he knew better, that Hughes did not own anything. Said he had been discharged by Hughes and that they had had a fuss at hotel and that he had rubbed his fist under Hughes' nose and called him a damn son of a b——.

—— DAILEY. Live at Bburg, employed by B. & S. R. R. Co., am 47 years old. Was at Long's hotel on Friday afternoon, 11 o'clock, Wells was there. Said he had discharged him, said he would lick Hughes yet, that they had had a racket. He said he would rip the guts out of him before he got through.

CHARLES HOLLAND.—Saw Wells in Sept., about the time of the Berwick Fair, at the St. Charles hotel, Klase and I were talking about horses. Wells stepped up and said Hughes had discharged him because he said he dosed his horses and he said if he ever got a chance at the son of a —— I'll kill him.

HUDSON OWEN.—Lived in Berwick 50 years, knew of Wells, knew his character. His reputation for violence was bad. Never heard any good of him.

JOHN G. JACOBY.—Live in Berwick. Wells' reputation was very bad. He was quarrelsome, considered a dangerous man by everybody.

GIDEON BRISHLINE.—Police officer in Berwick. Wells was considered a very dangerous man; had known him from a child up.

GEO. A. BUCKINGHAM.—Reside in Berwick. Wells regarded by the people as a dangerous character.

H. J. CONNER.—Hughes came to me on Friday and asked for some one to arrest Wells. I told him there was no constable in Orangeville.

RICHARD THOMPSON.—Have lived in Berwick over 75 years. Wells' reputation was bad; he was considered desperate at times, I have known him from a little child, he lived next door to me.

WM. F. BODINE.—Live in Bloomsburg, was at hotel on Friday evening. I saw a fuss through the window, three fellows. Wells had his coat off. One of them wanted a horse. Wells said I will kill the damn son of a b——.

R. R. BRIDGENS.—I was at the Exchange hotel when the fuss occurred on Friday evening. A man came and set down by side me, asked where Bill Hughes was. The son of a b—— discharged me. I'll kill him. The character of his language was most fearful, he swore and cursed, I got tired of him, they called him Wells, afterwards I heard a fuss in the washroom, then Hughes fell over a spitoon and then Wells was on him and struck him five or six blows, they pulled him off, this was about 7 o'clock and this man and his party paraded in front of the hotel till 9 o'clock. I saw Hughes next morning, I told him he better not go up, I told him to prepare himself, to go and get a pistol.

JAMES C. BROWN.—Same as at habeas corpus.

PERRY KELLER. Saw Wells in the stable that morning after dinner, he told me if he got a hold of Bill Hughes he would kill the son of a b——. When I saw them on the ground Wells had Hughes by the throat and was striking him.

E. H. SLOAN. Had a conversation with Wells a few days after the election at the upper end of town and he said if he got full some day he would kill the son of a b——. I asked him who? He said Bill Hughes.

HARRY ROONAN. I am hostler at the Exchange hotel stable. Wells and Long and Adams came first to the stable, drove into an open stall, opposite the door, about 15 or 16 minutes after Myers and Hosler came; this rig was put in the first stall. Wells came down in about half hour and took his team; Hosler came down with Myers. Hosler pulled out some money and said to Wells, "I'll give you this if you do Hughes up." Wells said, "I don't want your money, I will do him up without it."

SILAS CHAMBERLIN. Was at the Exchange hotel stable on Friday evening, about half-past seven o'clock. I saw the stable boy, Wells and a man with a fur cap. Heard the man with a fur cap say. "I will give you this if you do the son of a b—— up" (putting his hand in his pocket). Wells said "I will do him up if I have to use a black jack."

HARRY TAYLOR. I saw a rig come out of the alley by the Exchange in the evening. I then went down to the stable, found Roonan and Chamberlin there. Afterwards I went to pool room and returned to stable and saw Hosler, Wells and another man near there. I heard Wells say, "I will rip the ———— guts out." Hosler took hold of him and said, "Come on, you can 'tend to him to-morrow."

JEANE HESS. Live in Orangeville, employed at James Long's hotel, remember when Wells was at the dinner table at Long's on that Saturday. Hosler came in and said, "Clem, your man is out here" and whispered to him. Wells said, "You keep him there till I come out." Hosler whispered something in Wells' ear. Mr. Adams came and called Wells out.

EMMA LONG. Daughter of James Long—was in the dining room, saw Hosler come in the room, he said "Clem, your man is out here," Wells said "that's all right, you keep him there till I come out." Hosler whispered something in Wells' ear. Mr. Adams came and called Wells out.

Mr. Buckalew then offered the reporter's notes of Hosler's testimony taken at the habeas corpus hearing, which were read to the jury.

DR I. WILLITTS. I am physician, been in practice 20 years. I was called to see Hughes about 10 o'clock Sunday morning after the killing. I noticed a contusion of the face, his eye was discolored, he complained of a great deal of tenderness in the left breast, there was some congestion there, it was an internal injury. Such an injury could be produced by the blow of a knee.

JAMES R. SCHUYLER. I have a hardware store in Bloom. Hughes came in on Saturday to buy some iron and steel. We were talking about Wells, and he asked me, "have you any billys." I told him he didn't want one, he needed a revolver for such fellows, and he bought one. We were conversing about the fuss of the evening previous. He got a self-cocking revolver. (Revolver in evidence shown witness.) That is the one.

PHILIP CROGAN. I went to Long's hotel on Saturday. I heard Wells say, "I done the son of a b—— up last night and I'll do him up again if he comes up here." I don't know how Wells got dynamite, he needed none in the work he had. I am a foreman, employed on the road by Bridgens.

WM. M. HUGHES. I am the defendant. The pain I have is about as if you would hold a coal of fire in your eye. I have had it about 10 years, I dare not lift anything. I have taken 100 grains of quinine a day for three successive days. When I came out from supper on Friday evening I learned these parties were there and I went into the sample room to avoid them; afterwards I went into the water closet, no one was there. When I came out Hosler was facing Wells and Meyers was there. Wells said here is the son of a —— and struck at me and I warded off the blow, and ran toward the dining room, to get a cane I saw there, then I ran back to the bar room, I tripped and fell and Wells fell upon me and struck me some blows and then some one took him off. I heard the testimony of the boy Yost, it was exactly true to the very letter. I fired the first shot after I got the first blow. when I was on my knee and elbow. I thought it would intimidate him, then I thought he meant to kill me and I fired, I think, four shots.

Cross examination.—I did not have my revolver out when I crossed from Stewart's store to the hotel. Wells struck me first. Long said to me, "Look out for Wells, he is going for you." I took out my revolver and showed I was armed. From the time of the assault I saw no possible way to escape. Defts. rest.

The Court then stated that they had formed a decided opinion after the close of the Commonwealth's testimony, which, if anything, was strengthened by the defendant's testimony, and that it now remained for the Commonwealth to say whether they would ask for a conviction.

District Attorney Billmeyer then said to the Court that after mature deliberation he was willing to submit the case without argument, and that the verdict should be not guilty on the ground of self defense.

Judge Green then charged the jury as follows:

Gentlemen of the jury: As already intimated in your hearing, we do not think that the Commonwealth would be justified, under the testimony she has produced, in asking a verdict against this defendant for any offense; for the reason that the uncontradicted evidence plainly shows that what he did was done in selfdefense against the ruffianly assault of a desperado. Self-preservation is recognized as being the first law of nature. A man has a right to protect himself from attack; he is not bound to run away when he is assailed; he may stand his ground and may defend himself, even though it may be necessary to deal blow for blow; the law does not intend to make the citizen a coward. There is, perhaps, this slight exception to the rule that one may stand his ground, that before he takes life there must be no other way of escape from the danger to himself. Out of regard to human life, the law says that no man shall take the life of another, even in defending himself against attack, unless there appears no other method of avoiding the imminent danger to his own person—a question that might have arisen here for your determination, if the testimony had been other than it is—whether this defendant was in such imminent danger, either of loss of life or great bodily harm, as justified him in defending himself by taking the life of his assailant; but, looking at the circumstances as developed on the trial, you will see that Hughes, at the time the shots were fired, was not in a position to escape; if he had fired upon the first approach of Wells, then it might be asked whether he could not have avoided the danger by fleeing; but the testimony is that Hughes did retreat till he reached the middle of the street, that there he was knocked down by a blow, and that Wells was over him and further retreat impossible, that he was absolutely in the hands of his adversary. The only question, then, is whether Hughes was in such immediate danger to life or limb as to justify his acts. The facts all look one way: and the question is not whether he *actually* was in such danger, but whether he had reasonable ground to think that he was. Men under such circumstances think quickly and act quickly, and are not to be held to the same degree of prudence as a man who is in a situation to calculate coolly his chances of escape, of rescue, or of holding out against the blows of his assailant until help may reach him. In this case, the question whether Hughes could have remained there in the road suffering the beating that he was receiving from the hands of his powerful antagonist until assistance could have arrived from the hotel might, under a different state of the testimony, have become important; but we have the strange fact that no help did come from that hotel, though Wells was a boarder there and his purpose known to nearly every inmate, and he was seen going out of the hotel with his fists clenched, passing through the bar room where a number of persons sat, looking around as if for his intended victim; passing before a window, his angry countenance observed, as though he meant mischief; and yet not a soul went out of that hotel to see what was going on, or for the purpose of interfering, and the only thing that did arouse them was the pistolshot; it is doubtful whether, if that shot had not been fired, there would have been any interference at all on the part of the inmates of that hotel for the purpose of preventing this beating that Wells seemed determined to inflict upon Hughes; having threatened at different times, not only with bodily injury, but that he would kill him—rip his guts out, darken his light, fix him, and other expressions of the sort—showing a malicious and murderous disposition on the part of Wells towards Hughes. Information of these threats was carried to Hughes, and he knew the fact that they had been made, and this knowledge, together with his knowledge of the desperate character of Wells, to whose reputation for rowdyism and quarrelsomeness in the community where he lived, several witnesses have testified, was operating on the mind of Hughes at the moment of the assault, a rough and furious assault, according to eye-witnesses. You will readily understand that such knowledge would have its effect upon the mind of a man defending himself under such circumstances, and can judge whether it would tend or not to cause him to believe that he was in the most imminent danger.

Wells moved towards Hughes as fast as he could, and used his fists upon him with his tremendous personal strength "for all there was in it," to quote the expression of one of the witnesses. You have the further fact of the physical disability of Hughes to defend himself from such an attack; that his assailant was a tall, powerful man, very athletic, known as a bully; so that there can scarcely be a doubt that Hughes must have believed at the time that Wells intended to kill him or to inflict upon him the most grievous bodily harm. If the evidence shows this, as I think it does beyond any question, then you have the elements of self-defense made out. There was no help at hand; there was no escape from this ferocious assault, except by doing as Hughes did. As this situation is established by the Commonwealth and confirmed by the defense, the Commonwealth's officer has very properly told you that he does not ask at your hands the conviction of this defendant for any offense, and it will, therefore, under all the evidence, be your duty, and I have no doubt, your pleasure also, to acquit him by a verdict of not guilty, which you may render, if you choose, without leaving the box.

A verdict of not guilty was at once rendered, and was received by the large audience with loud applause. Mr. Hughes shook hands with the jury, and received warm congratulations from his many friends present.

Maggie Harold's company has been doing excellent work to small houses so far this week. It is a first-class troupe and deserves to be well patronized. The prices of admission are low, but the acting is as good as at the high priced shows. Every night this week. Go and see them.

Kansas City Times says of Col. Bain: He possesses in a marked degree that indescribable magnetism of appearance that characterized Clay and Douglass. By that magnetism and his matchless eloquence he held the sweltering, surging mass of humanity spell-bound by appeals clothed with the most beautiful language ever heard in Kansas.

Wanted. 500 Ladies During Xmas.

to buy Xmas presents at Lowenberg's.

J. H. Battles, general editor of the new history of this county, and J. C. Bell his assistant, completed their labors here last week, and went to Easton to begin work on a history of Northampton county. While here they made many warm friends. Mr. Battles is a gentleman of culture and education, and has peculiar talent for the work in which he is engaged, and Mr. Bell is well qualified to render him valuable assistance.

Books in sets of many different kinds at Mercer's drug and book store.

Judge Green expressed himself as being much pleased with his visit to Bloomsburg last week. All members of the bar, and in fact all whose pleasure it was to meet the Judge were highly impressed by his ability as a jurist and by his rare social attainments. Should necessity require Judge Elwell to call for help again, Judge Green will be warmly welcomed back here, should he find it convenient to come.

WANTED, 500 BOYS

to buy winter suits and overcoats at D. Lowenberg's.

One singular feature about the Wells shooting case is that he made no effort to wrest the revolver from Hughes, but from all the evidence, he kept on pounding Hughes in the face until he was shot fatally. The only explanation that presents itself is that Wells had been preparing himself all the morning for the attack, and he was so crazed with liquor that his reason had left him, and if he was in that condition Hughes' only escape from certain death was to kill him.

Governs by Kindness.

MOUNTAIN GROVE.

Mr. Editor.—In perusing your paper of 3 inst. I noticed the following: "The teacher at Mountain Grove is getting along finely. She whips no less than two a week." Doubtless the writer meant it as a witticism but I fear the public will take it in its literal sense. I most emphatically deny the assertion. "She whips no less than two a week." I invariably govern my school by kindness. Not withstanding the fact that I have 60 pupils. By *kindness* I maintain as good order as though I had but half that number. Respectfully,

FLORA KASHNER.

Wanamaker's.

PHILADELPHIA, December 13, 1886.

There's news to tell—news all over the store. If we don't touch your special subject in our talk come just the same. A glance will often tell you a volume. Can't describe everything. Know this, the work of the year is now telling. The long journeys of our buyers last summer over two continents are showing results. *Such a gathering of goods has never been here before.* Pause a moment and take in that last sentence.

That boy of yours. Has he made any remarks about sleds. If he is not fixed already you had better keep him out of our basement. If you have an enemy and a boy your enemy should show your boy our sled stock and your peace would be gone until you secured it by purchase.

Sleds, thousands. For men and women, boys, girls, babies.

Coasters, low solid runners 75 cents, $1, $1.50, $1.75; frame sleds 50 and 75 cents, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $4.50; double bob-coasters with steering wheels, $15; toboggans, 1 to 4 persons, 3 to 8 feet long, $2, $2.50, $4, $5.50, $6.50, $7.50, $10, $12; upholstered small sleighs, to be pushed or drawn $5, $6.25, $8, $9.25.
Basement, northeast section.

Snow and slush foot rigs. Rubbers.

Men's plain overshoes 75 cents; fleece lined, plain and self-acting, $1 and $.25. Arctics, for drifted snow, $1.50 and $2.

Women's plain overshoes, 40 and 50 cents; low fleece lined, 90 cents; high-buttoned fleece lined, the most popular item in the stock, $2.50.

Long boots for men and women, boys and girls, $1.50 for the smallest to $3.50 for the largest.
Market street, west of main aisle.

Sleigh robes from $5 to $125. Japanese wolf, so called, $5 to $15, prairie wolf $15 to $20, mountain wolf $20 to 25, Hudson's bay wolf $28 to $40, black bear $50 to $120, wolverine $80 to $90, red fox $40 to $45, Russian black dog $35 to $40. That's enough for your choice?

Other sleighing furs. Foot muffs $4 to $7; gloves, nutria $2.50 to $4, beaver $5 to $10, seal $8 to $20; hoods, satin, fur trimmed $5 to $10, plush $15; seal fur $20 to $25; wristlets fur trimmed $1 to $2.50, fur $1.25

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to $3.50; coachmen's capes $10 to $25 and gloves to match $5.
Juniper and Chestnut streets, second floor.

Testimony to space. Furniture is witness. Bedroom and parlor suites, lines of hundreds of feet each, no two alike. Acres of samples, more acres than ever. When you have looked over them all do you think you've seen our furniture stock? Another large warehouse is required to hold the reserves and handle the delivery.

Tabulate the stars. Could do it as easily as tabulate our furniture.

Furniture is its own explanation. What better for gifts than the smaller articles? Fancy chairs, lazy chairs, rockers, tables, desks. Wherever there is a home there is a place for a furniture gift.
Chestnut street, east of Arcade.

Women's Jackets and wrap-jackets are in new quarters, moved south a little. Want to use big words about this stock. It's a big stock, but all its bigness is not in quantity.

Jackets $1.50 to $20. Stylish, jaunty, tasteful, durable, novel. Scotch tweeds with shepherd's plaid linings $10, striped bouclé $6, plaid casimere $6 to $18, plain diagonals with Astrakhan trimmings $10, top-coats of covert cloth $12, stockinet $3.50, rare for the money.

Wraps $5 to $300. Variety enough?

Plush coats—$23 to $75.
Chestnut street, second floor.

Ulsters, Raglans and Newmarkets, $3 to $50. Prices tell the story.
Corner Thirteenth and Market streets.

Men's Ulsters. Real Shetland Elysian, wool lined, our own make at $35; and a stout Witney beaver very heavy $10. Between these extremes a large variety at many prices. Our clothing store is a sort of Ulster County

One-fortieth of the suits we make for country orders for one reason and another come back. That's nothing against them. It's against us for we sell you the suits at half price.
Thirteenth and Market streets.

Smyrna and Philadelphia. Their contiguity in Asia and companionship in the early church may be the reason that Philadelphia makes so many Smyrna rugs. Study it out, who will. Four thousand rugs at two-third prices were started here a few days since, and they are going as follows:

48 x 84 inches, $6.00; were $9.00.
36 x 72 " 4.00; were 5.60.
30 x 60 " 2.75; were 3.90.
26 x 54 " 2.25; were 3.15.
23 x 48 " 2.00; were 2.75.
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18 x 36 " 1.00; were 1.25.
18 x 36 " .75; were 1.00.

Common sense rules Christmas. This shows in the sorts of gifts, and Smyrna rugs are popular.
Second floor, Market street.

Double the size and yet too small for Christmas trade. You know that we mean the bookstore, of course. Filled it with show counters—can display three times the stock that we did the middle of last year. Yet not enough.

The Christmas cards are coming over the elegant clothing fixtures. Christmas is boss.

The elegant Christmas books, sumptuous, costly; the cheap

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sets of standard books, Dickens, Macaulay, Scott, Ruskin, etc., are jostling each other. The calendars for '87 are being hustled in '86, thirty-two sorts of them. The orderly, good-natured, happy confusion goes on.

Save trouble, buy BOOK NEWS' 5 cents,

JOHN WANAMAKER.
Chestnut, Thirteenth and Market streets, and City-hall square.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Mr. Bentley Meeker, formerly of Dushore, Sullivan county, Pa., has opened a Jewelry Store in Orangeville, where he is prepared with all the latest improved tools for the business of watchmaking and repairing in that line, clocks &c. He also has in stock new watches, both gold and silver, and all the latest patterns of jewelry, gold rings, pins, chains, charms and also silver ware, spoons, forks, castors, cake dishes, pitchers, &c. Also musical instructors, violins, accordeons, harmonicas, banjos, guitars, &c. All of the best and most approved patterns, styles and quality, at the lowest possible prices. By calling and inspecting his stock will invariably insure a sale. He has the reputation of being a most excellent and expert man at his business. dec 17, tf.

Blankets and shawls. We have full lines of both; double black cashmere shawls at very low prices at Sloan's.

Crayon portraits framed for $15 up, fine line of gold and plush frames all sizes. All orders for photographs and crayons finished in time for Christmas.
2t M'Killip, Photographer.

The cars run to suit buyers of Christmas Goods at I. W. Hartman & Son's, from up the river, over the river, as well as those down the river. You can come in the morning, noon or night and return the same day.

Don't fail to see G. W. Bertsch's new and nobby line of neckwear for the coming holidays—just received.

Toy wagons and express wagons from ten cents to $1.25 and rocking horses of all kinds at W. H. Gilmore's.

The people know where to look for Christmas Presents. Everybody says, go to I. W. Hartman & Son's, Bloomsburg.

A nice pair of shoes or slippers, from Dentler's shoe store, will make a very acceptable Christmas present.

Call and see our elegant line of cashmere, gloves and mittens at Sloan's.

Dolls from 1 cent to $1.50, together with carriages for dolls, tables, chairs etc. at W. H. Gilmore's.

They come from Berwick, Catawissa, Rupert, Espy, Lightstreet, Orangeville, Benton, Buckhorn and all other towns in the county to see the great display of Christmas Goods at I. W. Hartman & Son's.

If you wish to please your little girl at Christmas time, get a plush hood at Mrs. C. E. Rabb's.

A full line of Ladies' hand-stitched shoes at Dentler's, very soft and comfortable to the feet. Try a pair.

Have you seen the dinner and tea sets at I. W. Hartman & Son's, 126 pieces of latest style for $26.00. Other sets 46 pieces, 2.50 to 8.00. Chamber sets in beautiful patterns 3 00 to 12 00.

Bentley Meeker auctioneer, is open to calls at all times; bears the reputation of being a good auction salesman. Orangeville, Columbia county, Pa. dec 17, tf

Christmas tree ornaments, and works of all kinds at W. H. Gilmore's.

Undressed kid gloves, stiched backs, $1.25 at Sloan's.

Always remember that G. W. Bertsch has a full and complete line of gents' furnishing goods, of all descriptions, on hand. All of the latest styles.

Don't fail to see G. W. Bertsch's fine line of seal and fur caps—just received for the holiday trade.

Full lines of dress goods both in silk and wool at Sloan's.

A fine line of slippers, for the holiday trade, at Dentler's shoe store.

Remember Mrs. Rabb's is the place to have your old fur goods done up equal to new. Now is the time to have your seal caps renovated, also all kinds of muffs made to order. Children's plush and velvet caps made to order at the shortest notice and prices to suit all. Don't forget the place, opposite Corell's furniture store.

Don't fail to see the fine line of silk and merino Mufflers at G. W. Bertsch's—just received for the holiday trade.

A traveling agent says Bloomsburg shows more enterprise in Christmas display than any town of its size he has passed through. Especially I. W. Hartman & Son's two stores.

Sleds from 40 cts. upwards at W. H. Gilmore's.

Don't fail to see G. W. Bertsch's new, nobby and most stylish cloths and cassimeres for a suit of clothing or overcoat. A fit always guaranteed or no sale.

Having just received a cylinder for finishing silks and cloths, I am prepared to clean and dye gents' clothing, ladies' cloaks, sacques, silks, dresses, shawls, &c. Feathers dyed and curled. Packages forwarded by express will receive prompt attention, according to directions. Call on or address, J. O. Caswell, dyer, Bloomsburg Woolen Mills. sep24-tf.

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If you want a fine stylish velvet hat or bonnet, call at Mrs. C. E. Rabb's, opposite Corell's furniture store.

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Stop that cough that tickling in the throat!
Stop that consumptive condition!
You can be cured! You can't afford to wait!
Dr. Kilmer's Cough Cure (Consumption Oil) will do it quickly and permanently. 25cts.

For 20 years Henry F. Balcom, of Shirley, Mass., suffered with rheumatism. He found no relief till he took Hood's Sarsaparilla.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S CROWN.

The crown of Queen Victoria consists of diamonds, pearls, rubies, sapphires and emeralds, set in silver and gold. Its gross weight is 39 oz. 5 dwt troy. The number of diamonds are 3,352; pearls, 273; rubies, 9; sapphires, 17; emeralds, 11. It is an old saying—Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown. It is better to wear the crown of perfect health and peace of mind through the curative effects of Perine's Pure Barley Malt Whiskey. For sale by druggists and all dealers.

See what the Secretary of the Interstate Poultry and Pet Stock Association, of Cobden, Illinois, says:

August 3, 1886.

S. S. MYERS,
DEAR SIR:—I have used some of your Chick-chick-er-ee-kee (Poultry Food), am satisfied that it increases the egg production of my fowls.
A. A. COWDERY.

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THE DEAD LINE.—Is well remembered by the veterans of our "late war" but Speer's wine has achieved a wide reputation from its efficacy in the sick room, being one of the most pleasing and comforting beverages that can be given an invalid and at the same time is a powerful strength restorer. For sale everywhere.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Scrofulous humors, erysipelas, canker, and catarrh, can be cured by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. "I have used this medicine in my family, for scrofula, and know, if it is taken persistently, it will eradicate disease."—W. E. Fowler, M. D., Greenville, Tenn.

MALARIA.—Darbys Prophylactic Fluid is held in wide esteem as a specific and preventive. In it we have the means of rendering the air and water wholesome.

"Darbys Fluid is a good defecator and destroyer of miasmatic matter.—J. C. BOOTH, Chemist, U. S. Mint, Phila."

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The best is the cheapest. Hop Plasters contain active medicinal agents for the cure of pain.

Did you ever stand over a wash-tub in which clothes were being washed with common brown rosin soaps? If so, try Dreydoppel's Borax Soap next washday, and note the difference. The best is the cheapest always. d 17 4t.

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ODD ITEMS.

They are making glass as strong as iron now-a-days. In time they may make the glass as strong as the liquid it sometimes contains.

When President Cleveland retires, as he will do in the natural course of events some day, he will publish a book of cures for rheumatism.

A little arithmetic shows that a mince pie suitable for the Bartholdi Goddess of Liberty's mouth would have to be thirty feet in diameter.

Henry James, the novelist, has taken a villa at Florence for the Winter, where he will busy himself, it is said, with another novel on Italian life.

Every piano should have a waterproof covering. If this cover is kept on while the young lady amateur is about, the instrument will last a long time.

It is very difficult for a lady to enter or leave a carriage properly. It requires practice and a carriage. The carriage is the hardest part to acquire. —*Puck.*

A Michigan woman kicked a bear to death the other night. She heard him at the front door, and probably thought it was her husband monkeying with the night latch.

At Los Angeles, Cal., on Thanksgiving day, Rabbi Schreiber and Rev. Dr. Fay, of the Unitarian church, united in conducting a praise service in the Hebrew synagogue.

A clergyman who had a bad habit of adding "ah" to many of his words, spoke last Sunday of many of his congregation who "had been brought up on the Lord's side-ah."

We saw the cutest little diamond collar button yesterday dirt cheap at $10,000, but concluded to purchase three for ten cents. Hadn't been bribed.—*N. Y. Journal.*

A Boston firm failed for $100,000 and showed cash assets amounting to $5. This is liable to occur when sealskin sacques remain at the present high price, and sleighing, not including the drinks, costs $5 an hour.

Mr. J. J. Bayne, 52 Lake Avenue, Rochester, N. Y., will tell you if you write, enclosing stamp, that this wonderful story is true: "In 1882 I was taken to the Clifton Springs Sanitarium, in a most deplorable condition, with congestion of liver, constant cold hands and feet, rushing of blood to the head, purple spots on my face, and my skin was as yellow as a lemon. The slightest food could not be taken, without such distress and spasms that my screams could be heard a long distance. I had prolapsus very severely, profuse leucorrhœa, and uterine ulceration so that I could not wear a supporter. The doctors said that I had the worst case they ever saw. In two months I lost 40 pounds of flesh, and suffering all the time from intense headaches, and unable to obtain sleep, while cold clammy sweats would break out over my body frequently. Under the operation of Warner's safe cure my skin cleared up and I began to gain flesh, and was able to walk one full mile. My case created such an interest at the Sanitarium that Warner's safe cure has since been prescribed for its patients with good results. I never was so healthy in my life."

Disappointed for Twenty Years.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 10.—The case of Miranda Palmer against James McAleer for $20,000, the value which the plaintiff places on her damaged affections, was taken up in the County Court yesterday. The plaintiff is a widow, about 40, and Mr. McAleer, a bachelor, somewhat older. In her bill of complaint she alleges that in 1866 the defendant was paying her considerable attention; that he had promised to marry her, and that she has been waiting on him ever since. The first date set for the ceremony was January 1, 1867, and since then times were set as frequently as twice a year. When the time came around Mr. McAleer always had some excuse ready with which to put the plaintiff off. Yesterday afternoon the jury returned a verdict of $200 for the plaintiff.

A Pet of his Pa-in-law.

"O, Sarah, I wondered what induced you to marry John?"

"It was my pa's doings."

"Why, how was that?"

"O, pa, you know, is a strict teetotaler and despises anything connected with the liquor trade. John is so awful lanky and slim that his photograph could never be used as a fancy label for a beer barrel, and pa, recognizing that fact, induced me to marry him."

Col. Joseph H. Thornton, of Cincinnati, O., an honored war veteran, was for 18 years a victim of that old soldiers' complaint, chronic diarrhœa. Two dozen bottles of Warner's safe cure restored his liver to health and cured his ailment. His daughter was very ill of an obstinate disorder, which the best physicians failed to relieve. She had also palpitation of the heart, intense pains in the head, nervous dyspepsia, and all her vital organs were involved. By three months' faithful home treatment with Warner's safe cure alone, she was fully restored to health. That was two years ago. The cure was permanent. Col. Thornton will tell you it is true if you write him and enclose a stamped envelope.

A Young Man Asks Permission of the Government to Marry an Indian Girl.

A rather novel request has been received at the Interior Department from a young man living in Nebraska who wants to marry a daughter of Standing Bear, a Sioux chief. He states who he is, and encloses a photograph of the girl, who is very nice looking and was educated at Carlisle. The young man, however, wishes to go and live on the reservation with his prospective wife and her relations, and for this reason it was necessary to obtain the permission of the Interior Department. White men are not allowed to stay on an Indian reservation unless they have authority from the Government to do so, and so this young man was obliged to take the Government into his confidence and reveal his love affairs. The Secretary of the Interior considered the matter from its practical rather than its sentimental side, and concluded that while he could not prevent the young man marrying the girl he could prevent him from going to live with the old folks, and if he was as anxious to marry the young woman as he professed to be, he might scratch around and provide her with a home. Secretary Lamar will write a letter to the ambitious lover, and while not discouraging the ardor of his love, will suggest the practical view of the situation, which seems to have escaped him. Until there is some change in the present plans of the young man the paternal benediction of the Interior Department will be with-held.

"My doctor's bill for the past four years has not been $10," writes F. G. Baily, of 30 South 9th street, Dayton, O. He had Vertigo, Indigestion, Great Nervousness, Inflammation of the Bladder, Kidney Disease and Bleeding Piles. Eighteen bottles of Warner's safe cure permanently cured him, as he will tell you if you write and enclose a stamped envelope. Ask your friends and neighbors about Warner's safe cure.

Choosing Baby's Profession.

When Jimmy Silker got home from the store the other evening his wife met him at the door looking very much worried.

"Jim, what do you think! Baby John swallowed four pennies this afternoon, and I couldn't find the doctor, and I'm so frightened I don't know what to do."

"Well, brace up," said Jim reassuringly. "I'm kind of glad it happened."

"Oh, you horrid thing! Glad!"

"Yes. You see, I've been wondering for a long while what profession we would have John go into when he grows up."

"And did you just decide?"

"Yes. I think he ought to do first rate in the internal revenue service."

She didn't forgive him for an hour and six minutes.

Captain George B. Wiltbark, 919 Spruce street, Philadelphia, Pa., if now on land, will if you write and enclose a stamp for reply, tell you that "three years ago when in Central America, he was prostrated with kidney and liver trouble of a very serious nature. He was delirious, skin very dark, liver enlarged one-third, stomach too sensitive for the simplest food." Seven bottles of Warner's safe cure completely cured him and saved his life.

Smallpox in a Jail.

A United States prisoner named L. P. Warner, from East St. Louis, lodged in the county jail at Springfield, Ill., was discovered last week to be sick from smallpox. He was immediately removed to the pest-house outside of the city and placed in charge of two nurses. There are 50 persons in the jail.

Mr. Moonlight has been appointed Governor of Wyoming. In a light where Moonlight reigns the country ought to be magnificent. Go West, girls, go West.

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Spruce Creek, Pa., Oct. 5, 1885.

In answer to your request to know what your Athlophoros has done for me, I will say it has done wonderful work. I have suffered from rheumatism for eighteen years more or less, and sometimes not able to put my clothes on or eat alone. I took all kinds, doctored with a good many doctors, but nothing did me any good. I was getting worse instead of better. I read your advertisement in the "Democrat" and "Sentinel" papers of Louistown. I have taken in all four bottles. I feel no pain. I was drawn crooked, but now I am straight once more. Thank you for the good it done me. Athlophoros is the medicine.
PHILIP HARPSTER.

Your medicine has cured me of neuralgia. I suffered with it for three days, and it gave me instant relief.
WM. F. KINCH.

Palmyra, N. Y., August 19th, 1886.

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Drunkenness in Paris.

A REMARKABLE INCREASE IN THE CONSUMPTION OF LIQUOR.

Drunkenness is apparently on the increase in Paris. The number of workingmen who ruin themselves by absorbing too much absinthe, "amer picon," and other deleterious mixtures grows more and more. There is therefore, abundant room for the operations of an energetic temperance society to repress the ravages caused by "petit bleu" and the opal-colored liquor, which is imbibed by most Parisians in a moderate quantity in order to give them an appetite for dinner. Within the past fortnight several deaths from drunkenness have occurred in the metropolis. In one case a respectable official in one of the public departments was found dead in his bed. In a cupboard near him were several empty bottles which had contained rum. The post-mortem examination disclosed the fact that he had died from the effects of large and frequent doses of undiluted Jamaica. Only yesterday a drunken woman, hitherto an abnormal spectacle in the streets of Paris, set fire to her clothes with a match on entering her room and was burned to death. It is not at all uncommon to meet workingmen returning home so utterly intoxicated that they fall down at every step and are only preserved from breaking their skulls or by being run over by vehicles by the providential intervention that watches over the inebriate. A short time since I saw a drunken lamplighter trying to illuminate the shades of evening by lighting a tree with his six-foot pole. A magnanimous policeman, who for a few moments placidly watched the man's effort to pursue his occupation under difficulties, finally went over to him, took the pole, lighted the lamps and sent the devotee of Bacchus home between two boys.—*London Telegraph.*

E. Evans, president of the Lumber Exchange Bank, Tonawanda, N. Y., writes: January 15, 1886, I was entirely prostrated, and was reduced from 176 to 126 lbs. I thought I had inflammation of the large bowel. The pain was relieved only by morphine forced under the skin. My doctor treated me for inflammation and catarrh of the bowels, an affection sympathetic with disorder of the left kidney. I had a distressing pain, with night sweats, and could keep nothing on my stomach, especially liquids, and was intensely thirsty. Feb. 19 I was in intense agony with pain in my left kidney. I then began Warner's safe cure. In 20 minutes I was relieved. I refused the doctor's medicines thereafter. I finally passed a large stone from the bladder, then my pains ceased." If you write Mr. Evans, enclose stamp for reply.

Natural Gas in Sharon.

After weeks of waiting and a succession of calamitous accidents the Columbia Natural Gas Co. at 4:40 p. m. Saturday last turned natural gas into the 40 miles of mains between Sharon and the Speechley district, in Venango county. The new fuel burned with a deafening roar just east of the city. The gas will be used in the rolling mills.

New Process of Welding Old Rails.

E. D. Wassells, of Pittsburg, is arranging for a test at the Atlantic Iron Works of a new process of welding and rolling steel from old rails by which the cost is cheapened $10 a ton. Much interest is manifested by iron men in the result.

Consumption is often only an indirect result of deranged kidneys. "Over two years ago I became a confirmed invalid. My friends all thought I was far gone in Consumption. I was sure the time had well nigh come when I must leave my helpless little children motherless. With this dreadful fact staring me in the face, I resolved to try Warner's safe cure. My husband tried to dissuade me, thinking I was too far gone for anything to help me. But I took it, and in two weeks time I was like a new creature; and in four weeks I was able to resume my household duties"—at this writing I am perfectly well. Mrs. E. J. Wolf, wife of Rev. Prof. T. Wolf, D. D., editor *Lutheran Quarterly*, Gettysburg, Pa. If you write her enclose a stamp, and she will tell you the story is true.

Archer, the horse jockey, is reported to have accumulated a fortune little short of £150,000, which accrues to his only child by his deceased young wife, a little girl, between 2 and 3 years of age. At the time of his death he was at the head of the list of winning jockeys for the present season, with a score of 170, and he has held the same position for something like a dozen years.

The young man who is debating what to give his girl for Christmas could satisfactorily solve the question by giving himself.

A New York manager is trying to induce ladies to take off their hats in the theatre. Resent it, girls, resent it. Next they'll be wanting you to take off your switches and hang them on the back of the seat.

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All Smoke and no Fire.

"Nothing better illustrates the desperate strait that the opposition press is driven to in criticising the government at Washington," said General Black, Pension Commissioner, "than the rumor which it is now industriously circulating that Dr. T. T. Dabney, of New Orleans, lately appointed examiner in the Pension Office was not only a Confederate soldier, but one of the guard of the horrible prison pen at Andersonville, and used to amuse himself by shooting at the prisoners whose pension claims he is now to examine. This story has created much excitement in Cincinnati, where arrangements have been made by the Republican Veteran Club for an immense mass meeting of veterans, generously thrown open to both political parties, to discuss this supposed outrage and to express their indignation. The Committee on Resolutions is already hard at work, but unfortunately for these zealous patriots the report is all a lie. Dr. Dabney was not born until May 16, 1850, and, therefore was only 15 years old when the war closed. As might be expected, therefore, he never served in the Confederate army, and has yet to lay his eyes on Andersonville. He was appointed through the Civil Service Commission."

W. H. Rhodes, 118 E. Gay St., Columbus, O., in 1879, was taken ill with palpitation and neuralgia of the heart, consequent on diseased kidneys. "Horrible Dyspepsia" also afflicted him. He spent hundreds of dollars for relief in vain. He took 50 bottles of Warner's safe cure and was fully restored to health, gaining 70 pounds while using that great remedy. Write him and enclose a stamp. He'll tell you the welcome story.

A New Feat at Niagara.

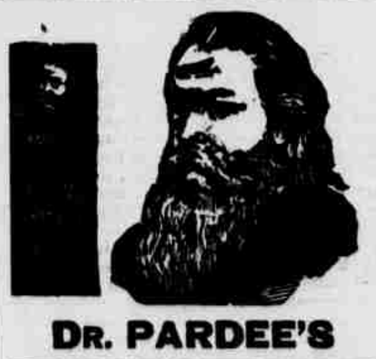
BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 11.—A new style of Niagara hero is to be introduced to the world, when Alphonse King, of the firm of King & Forster, paper-box makers, of this city, will walk across the surface of Niagara river below the Falls from the foot of the inclined railroad to the Canadian shore. King has already done much walking on the water, having given exhibitions through Mexico and some of the Southern States. He will wear a pair of winged shoes, by which he propels himself and which are sufficiently wide to give him steadiness on the water. But the turbulent Niagara has never been tried. Mr. King has had the trip in contemplation for some time. The walk is for a bet of $3000.

A Verdict Against a Railroad.

A verdict of $5,580.62 in favor of plaintiff was rendered last Saturday afternoon in the Berks Common Pleas, in the suit of Reese Davis vs. the Pennsylvania Schuylkill Valley Railroad Co. The action had been on trial the entire week, this being the first of a number of land damage cases arising out of the construction of the Pennsylvania Railroad's branch line north of Reading to Pottsvile. The verdict is regarded as heavy, although plaintiff's witnesses ranged in their estimates from $2,000 to $9,000.

Mrs. Ruth Brown, Coldwater, Mich., if you write, enclosing a stamp, will tell you it is true that in July, 1885, she "was suddenly Paralyzed, and became entirely Blind, as her doctors claimed, from an Enlargement and Inflammation of the Kidneys and Liver. She was in an unconscious state for two weeks; face and body bloated, with agonizing Pain; could not keep anything on her stomach; irregular action of the heart. Physicians pronounced her case incurable. Within a few weeks the Paralysis left her, Bloat went down, Enlargement of the Liver Subsided, action of the heart became regular, and she became well in three months and has felt in good condition ever since." Warner's safe cure did this amazing work for her and she will tell you so.

This is the season when the tender heart of the coal dealer asserts itself, and, rather than overload his poor patient horses, he makes his tons several hundred pounds lighter, but forgets to notify the purchaser of the fuel at the time of making out the bill.



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Something About Stable Manure and BAUGH'S $25 PHOSPHATE

At a recent meeting of Lancaster county farmers, the following statement was made, viz:

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There has been one instance of the same Bishop having officiated at the baptism, marriage and coronation of a monarch. This was the Most Rev. Thomas Secker, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, who baptized, married and crowned George III.

Proprietor H. B. Kinney, Weldon House, Earlville, N. Y., was run down by overwork and threatened with Bright's disease, followed by stone in the kidney and bladder, which produced intense pain and spasms. A council of physicians did him no good. He passed fresh blood from the urinary organs. Everything else failing, he was finally fully restored to health by Warner's safe cure, as hundreds of thousands of other acute sufferers have been. Don't take Warner's word for it. Write Mr. Kinney (enclosing stamp), and ask your friends and neighbors about Warner's safe cure.

Ex-Vice President William A. Wheeler is now living an invalid at his home in Malone, N. Y. He is said to be but the mere wreck of his former self; his eyes are sunken and dull, and his complexion sickly. His relatives studiously keep him from either public or social assemblages.

Mrs. J. T. Richey, 562 4th Avenue, Louisville, Ky., was a confirmed invalid for eleven years, daily expecting death. Doctors pronounced her trouble to be neuralgia, female complaints and every other known disease. For months her left side was paralyzed. Could neither eat, sleep nor walk. Finally the doctors gave her up. She then began to use Warner's safe cure, and November 18, 1885, she wrote "I am as well to-day as when a girl, and feel about twenty years younger. Warner's safe cure has worked a miracle in my case." Mrs. Richey will gladly answer stamped inquiries.

This is the season that inspires a red-nosed man with confidence. He can blame the warmth of color on the weather, and those who don't know his habits will sometimes believe him.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

NORTH.			STATIONS.	SOUTH.		
p.m.	p.m.	a.m		a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
9 00	12 30	8 30	....Scranton....	6 10	9 15	2 05
8 54	12 26	8 26	....Bellevue....	6 15	9 20	2 10
8 48	12 22	8 22	....Taylorville....	6 20	9 26	2 15
8 40	12 15	8 16	..Lackawanna..	6 27	9 34	2 22
8 33	12 08	8 10	....Pittston....	6 34	9 41	2 30
8 27	12 03	8 03	.West Pittston.	6 40	9 47	2 36
8 22	11 58	7 58	....Wyoming....	6 45	9 52	2 41
8 17	11 54	7 54	....Maltby....	6 49	9 56	2 44
8 12	11 50	7 50	....Bennett....	6 53	10 00	2 47
8 08	11 47	7 47	....Kingston....	6 58	10 05	2 50
8 08	11 47	7 47	....Kingston....	6 58	10 05	2 50
8 03	11 42	7 42	Plymouth Junc	7 02	10 10	2 55
7 59	11 38	7 38	....Plymouth....	7 07	10 15	3 00
7 54	11 34	7 34	....Avondale....	7 12	10 20	3 05
7 50	11 30	7 30	....Nanticoke....	7 15	10 25	3 10
7 43	11 23	7 23	Hunlock's Creek	7 23	10 32	3 27
7 30	11 12	7 12	..Shickshinny..	7 37	10 44	3 39
7 18	11 00	7 00	..Hick's Ferry..	7 50	11 13	3 52
7 11	10 54	6 54	..Beach Haven..	7 57	11 06	3 58
7 05	10 47	6 47	....Berwick....	8 04	11 13	4 05
6 58	10 41	6 41	.Briar Creek.	8 11	11 20	4 12
6 54	10 38	6 38	.Willow Grove.	8 14	11 25	4 16
6 50	10 34	6 34	..Lime Ridge..	8 18	11 29	4 20
6 42	10 27	6 27	....Espy....	8 25	11 36	4 27
6 36	10 21	6 21	..Bloomsburg..	8 30	11 44	4 34
6 30	10 16	6 16	....Rupert....	8 36	11 50	4 40
6 25	10 11	6 11	Catawi'a Bridge	8 41	11 55	4 46
6 08	9 56	5 56	....Danville....	8 58	12 13	5 04
6 00	9 49	5 49	....Chulasky....	9 05	12 20	5 12
5 55	9 45	5 45	....Cameron....	9 08	12 25	5 17
5 40	9 32	5 32	Northumberland	9 25	12 40	5 35
p.m.	am.	a.m.		a.m.	a.m.	p.m

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Superintendent's office, Scranton, Feb.1st,182

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division, and Northern Central Railway.

TIME TABLE.

In effect Nov. 14th, 1886. Trains leave Sunbury.

EASTWARD.

9.40 a. m., Sea Shore Express (daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 6.20 p. m.; Baltimore, 3.05 p. m.; Washington, 4.50 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Through passenger coach to Philadelphia.

1.50 p. m.—Day express daily except Sunday), for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.50 p. m.; New York, 9.35 p. m.; Baltimore 6.45 p. m.; Washington, 7.45 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

7.45 p. m.—Renovo Accommodation (daily for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4.25 a. m.; New York 7.30 a. m. Baltimore, 4.55 a. m.; Washington 6.05 a. m.; Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Harrisburg for Philadelphia and New York. On Sundays a through sleeping car will be run; on this train from Williamsp't to Philadelphia. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

7.50 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Monday, for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 8.25 a. m. New York, 11.30 a. m.; Baltimore 8.15 a. m.; Washington, 9.30 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on his train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

5.10 a. m.—Erie Mail (daily except Sunday), for Erie and all intermediate stations and Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through Pullman Palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9.53—News Express (daily except Sunday) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1.52 p. m.—Niagara Express (daily except Sunday) for Kane and intermediate stations and Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Williamsport.

4.25 p. m. Fast Line (daily except Sunday) for Renovo and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Renovo and Watkins.

9.20 a. m.—Sunday mail for Renovo and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Sunday mail leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m. Harrisburg 7.40 arriving at Sunbury 9.20 a. m. with through sleeping car from Philadelphia to Williamsport.

News Express leaves Philadelphia 4.30 a. m. Harrisburg, 8.10 a. m. daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury 9.53. a. m.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.30 a. m. (daily except Sunday arriving at Sunbury, 12.52 p. m., with through Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 8.30 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.14 a. m.; Washington, 9.40 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 4.25 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Erie Mail leaves New York 8.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.25 p. m.; Washington, 10.00 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.20 p. m., (daily except Saturday) arriving at Sunbury 5.10 a. m., with through Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia.

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Wilkesbarre Mail leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10.47 a. m., Wilkes-barre 12.20 p. m.

Express East leaves Sunbury 4.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 5.28 p. m., Wilkes-barre 6.55 p. m.

Sunbury Mail leaves Wilkesbarre 10.25 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 12.05 p. m., Sunbury 12.47 p. m.

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 1.45 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 3.20 p. m., Sunbury 4.16p.m.

SUNDAY ONLY.

Sunday mail leaves Sunbury 9.25 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10.14 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 11:40 a.m. Sunday accommodation leaves Wilkes-Barre 5:10 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry, 6.44 p. m., Sunbury, 7.35 p. m.

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